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$14,000 LOSS BY STORAGE SHED FIRE

Second Alarm Turned in for Fire in One of Palen Company's Sheds—Building Used by E. T. McGill for Storage.

The large coal shed and storage warehouse owned by H. W. Palen's Sons and leased by E. T. McGill, was totally destroyed by fire shortly after 11 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mr. McGill this morning estimated the loss to amount to between $12,000 and $14,000 which is partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The building was located in the rear near the West Shore railroad tracks. The fire was discovered a few minutes after 11 o'clock by Nightwatchman Miller who is employed by the Palen concern. He turned in an alarm from Box 57, corner of Broadway and Pine Grove avenue, to which the firemen quickly responded. Fire Chief Chipp realizing the danger of the fire spreading turned in a second alarm when he reached the scene of the fire.

The building is 100 feet in length by 75 feet in width. One side of the building was used to store coal in and at the time contained 150 tons of coal. The other half of the building was used to store flour, canned goods and other articles in. It is thought that the fire started in one corner of the building in which was stored a large quantity of matches. The fire had evidently been smouldering for some time when discovered and when the firemen reached the scene the fire was well under way. It was shortly after 1 o'clock this morning before the fire was entirely extinguished.

The building was totally destroyed with most of its contents.

HUDSON RIVER FRUIT EXHIBIT

The first annual exhibit of the Hudson River Fruit Exchange, Inc., opened in Columbus Hall, Poughkeepsie, on Wednesday and will close Friday night. This is largely an apple show and some magnificent specimens of this fruit, raised in Ulster and Dutchess counties, are on display. Besides the apples, there are on exhibit fruit trees, fertilizer, spraying materials, fruit packages, flour, feed and grain, wagons and harness, auto oil, grease, tires and supplies. The following are the officers of the Hudson River Fruit Exchange, Inc., William Y. Velie, president; Edward W. Barnes, vice-president; Charles W. Weston, secretary and treasurer; executive committee—William Y. Velie, Marlborough; Edward W. Barnes, Middle Hope; Charles W. Weston, Milton; F. W. Vail, Milton; J. R. Cornell, Newburgh; A. P. Wilklow, Highland; R. B. Crowell, manager, Milton; S. Anderson, assistant manager, Milton; E. A. Guthrie, manager, Athens Branch, Athens; P. J. F. Gallagher, manager Marlborough Branch, Marlborough

Game Protectors Advanced.

This conservation district, under the supervision of Chief Charles W. Lee of Poughkeepsie, leads all others in the state in the number of first grade men. Five will be presented for advancement to this grade, with an increase of $50 in salary. In addition, a first grade man cannot be removed from office without a hearing. The game protectors of this district who are to be promoted are Nolan of Milton, DeWitt of Kingston, Cole of Middle Hope, Cross of Liberty and Barry of Cold Spring.

New Electric Supply Store.

Carl Miller, the electrical contractor, will open an electrical supply store and repair shop at No 672 Broadway next week. The store will be completely equipped with all electrical appliances used in manufacturing as well as in the household. The latter appliances include electric washing machines, dish washers, heating appliances, etc. Mr. Miller will also carry a full line of goods used in filling contracts about town.

City Buys Tax Liens.

For the first time in sales of liens on property in Queens for unpaid taxes the city of New York was compelled Tuesday to buy in liens because there were no bidders, the amount due the city being considered more than the property was worth. About one thousand parcels were involved.

200 at Dog's Funeral.

A funeral service was performed Wednesday over Truck, the dog mascot of the Union Hook and Ladder Company, of the White Plains Fire Department. More than two hundred mourners were at the funeral in the fire station, among them being many school children.

Stryker a Sunday Convert.

Dr. M. Woolsey Stryker, president of Hamilton College, who has disapproved of the methods and practices of Billy Sunday, announced to his students, following a trip to the tabernacle at Syracuse, his complete conversion to Sundayism.

BURGLAR ENTERS RHINEBECK HOME

Knocking over the telephone on Vincent Astor's desk in the office of Herbert Pinkham, superintendent of the Astor estate at Rhinecliff, early Wednesday morning, a burglar registered a call in the Rhinebeck telephone exchange, which resulted in his being frightened away with $800 worth of furs and silverware.

The manager of the telephone office, John Troy, called Mr. Pinkham on the telephone to ask if anything was wrong. Mr. Pinkham said there was not, and he hung up the receiver of his telephone. As he turned from the telephone a burglar flashed a light in his face and vanished through the door, downstairs and out through a window with his booty.

It was reported in Rhinebeck on Wednesdty night that the burglar also entered the Astor home near by, but at the Astor home no admission would be made.

CUSACK GETS BACK INSURANCE POLICY

On Wednesday afternoon the case of Patrick Cusack against Margaret Cusack, his wife, who secured a separation in 1913, and has not been living with Mr. Cusack since, was taken up before Judge Rudd in supreme court.

The Cusacks were residents of Stony Hollow and Mr. Cusack brought the action to recover an insurance policy which he claims was taken by his wife when she left his home. Mrs. Cusack claimed that the policy had been given to her by her husband and she had paid all of the premiums on it with the exception of the first two years. The policy for $500 was taken out in 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Cusack were the only witnesses called in the case. Mr. Cusack did not deny that Mrs. Cusack had paid the premius, but claimed that he had given her the money with which to make the payments.

The Cusacks have been married for 11 years and Mrs. Cusack testified that her husband worked but two years during their married life, although at one time he gave her several hundred dollars and also at the time of their marriage she received several hundred dollars

The case was sent to the jury late in the afternoon and after being out for a short time, they returned with a verdict for Mr. Cusack. Frank W. Brooks appeared for Mr. Cusack, while Mrs. Cusack was represented by Louis Lichtenberg of New York city.

First Dutch C. E. Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Dutch Church was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Harper Leeper on Albany avenue. The meeting was opened with a word of prayer by the Rev. Dr. Leeper, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Encouraging reports for the month of November from the various committees were read and accepted. The treasurer's report showed the sum of $29.20 on hand and the missionary committee reported the sum of $20.62 on hand. The society decided to co-operate with the committee from the church in holding the cottage meetings which will be held in January. Plans for a Christmas entertainment for the Sunday school to be given by the members of the society were talked over and Miss Frances Osterhoudt will have charge of the entertainment. After other routine business was disposed of, the meeting adjourned. Refreshments were served and a social half hour enjoyed by those present.

Chautauqua Opens May 4, 1916.

More than one hundred guarantors have been secured for the annual Chautauqua course, which will be held in this city next year, and arrangements for the week's course have been made. The Chautauqua course will open on Thursday, May 4, and will continue for one week. A superior program has been promised by the management of the course and announcement of the plans for the entire week will be made public when the program is completed.

Fire at Rice's Boatyard.

The roof of the boiler house on Rice's boatyard catching fire on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock caused an alarm of fire to be rung in from Box 28 to which the fireman quickly responded. The fire was soon extinguished and the damage is estimated to be about $100. An over-heated chimney is thought to have been the cause of the fire.

British Are Hard Pressed.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Constantinople, Dec. 9.—Turkish troops in Mesopotamia are pressing hard against the British around Kut-el-Amara, it is officially announced. It is stated that the English are suffering big losses.

Port Jervis Strike Ended.

An Erie strike of 200 car men was settled in Port Jervis on Tuesday. Although they did not get their demands of 20 cents an hour they were promised a larger amount of material and better working conditions.

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL REPORT

The annual report of the board of managers of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Hospital, reviewing the work accomplished at the hospital, was submitted to the board of supervisors Wednesday evening.

The report is as follows.

To the Board of Managers of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Hospital—

The report of the transactions of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Hospital, herewith transmitted, covers a period of eleven months—from November 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915, this later date being selected with the consent of the board of managers in order that our report may terminate on the same date, and hereafter, cover a like period of time as the annual report required by The State Charities Aid Association. This arrangement simplifies our system of records and, to quite an extent, makes possible the use of the same data in both reports.

As to the work of the hospital since our last report satisfactory progress can be reported in the number of cases treated and the results obtained as will be noted later.

With hospital care the now almost universally accepted treatment for tubercular patients, it is with just pride that we refer to our modest beginning in August, 1909, on which date active hospital work for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis was formally begun in this county.

The people of Ulster county were among the first few to take advantage of the law permitting the establishment of such institutions while today 31 counties in the state now have or have provided means for the establishment of tuberculosis hospitals; these counties represent about 75 per cent of the population of the state outside of New York city.

At the last election five counties voted to establish tuberculosis hospitals.

About two months ago the Local Committee for the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis secured the services of Miss Lydia C. Betz to make a survey of the county and her work shows many uncared for patients in Ulster county.

In her report of December 3rd it is stated that she has visited 2,500 families and found positive cases to the number of 280, suspicious cases, 150. Of this number 81 cases are under the care of a physician and 78 cases are classified as "reported cases." With a greater part of the city of Kingston and a portion of two of the outlaying towns yet to survey it seems that the final report will add quite materially to the number of cases above quoted.

It may be of interest to state in this connection that in accordance with the instructions of the state department of health, Miss Betz is instructed to classify as "positive cases" those patients who give a history of the three following symptoms—1st. "Cough extending over several weeks or a few months." 2nd. "Loss of weight." 3rd. "Hemorrhage or the spitting of blood."

The local committee contemplate continuing the services of the visiting nurse for the coming year that the survey work may be followed up by a systematic effort to give hospital care to as many infected cases as possible and to instruct those patients who are unable or unwilling to have hospital care in the correct method of living that they may not be a menace to the people with whom they are associated in social and industrial activities.

During the year 52 patients were treated. The total number of days treatment and the cost of same follows:

Days. Cost. Per Day.
6,6[illegible]

A statement of patients follows:

In Hospital—

	Male.	Female.	
In hospital Nov. 1st, 1914			19
Admitted during year			33
Total			—52
Discharged during year—			
Improved	3	1	
Left of own accord—			
Improved	2	1	
Unimproved	5	4	
	—	—	16
Died	13	6	
	—	—	19
Total			35
In hospital Sept. 30, 1915	14	3	
	—	—	17
			52

These patients were distributed as follows:

Kingston City	27
New York City	3
Bayonne, N. J.	1
Lloyd	1
Marlborough	1
Kingston, (town)	1
Saugerties	4
Olive	3
Woodstock	1
Wawarsing	2
Rochester	1
Marbletown	1
Brooklyn	1
Esopus	1
Ulster	1
Gardiner	1
New Paltz	2

Recommendations.

Buildings—

In our former reports we have called attention to the urgent need of painting the exterior of our buildings. It has already been necessary to order minor repairs that they may be kept in a fair state of preservation, due very largely to the lack of adequate paint protection. The expense of this work today will be very much in excess of the cost of same if done two or more years ago.

Roads and Water Supply—

To mention them is to simply repeat our recommendations of the past three years. The road leading from Clifton avenue to the main building should be constructed along substantial and permanent lines. The cost of such work is estimated as $300

The water supply gives very little protection for fire purposes, especially if occasion demands its use in the summer months when hose sprinkling is being done throughout the city. The laying of a pipe line from our service pipe to the garden plot would involve but small expense and would add much to the yield of our garden as the loose sandy soil is easily affected by even short periods of drouth.

The above mentioned cost of road construction is based on estimate of J. F. Loughran, county superintendent of highways, who kindly visited the grounds for that purpose. The cost of a two-coat paint job for exterior of all buildings is estimated at $200, present price of material considered.

The financial summary shows the following:

On hand, Oct. 31, 1914	$1,50[illegible].37
Received from county, 9 mos.	6,437.60
Interest	14.62
Received from patients	317.00
Total receipts	$8,275.58
Disbursements	7,905.26
On hand Sept. 30, 1915	$ 370.32

The disbursements were summarized as follows:

Salaries	$ 916.64
Wages	2,161.00
Food	3,365.57
Light and fuel	307.54
Medicine	428.28
Telephone	27.27
Household	118.37
Repairs	169.95
Office expenses	111.64
Total	$7,905.26

The report was referred to the Committee on Tuberculosis Hospital and Laboratory.

Committee Reports.

The committee on coroners' bills reported that the total amount of claims presented was $301, which had been audited at $233, and recommended that that amount be raised on the county to pay the same.

The committee on county judge and district attorney reported that the total amount of claims presented was $4,382.61, which had been audited at $4,198.61, and recommended that that amount be raised on the county to pay the same.

Both reports were ordered placed on file.

Supervisor Thompson introduced a resolution to approve the report of the committee on county judge and district attorney and to raise the amount stated on the county. The resolution went over under the rule.

Supervisor Woolsey introduced a similar resolution in regard to the committee on coroners' bills, which went over under the rule.

On motion of Supervisor Schantz, the board adjourned until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

VON RINTELEN AIDED IN PLOTS BY "WOLF OF WALL STREET" IS CHARGED.

New York, Dec. 9.—A Federal investigation into the activities of Franz von Rintelen and David Lamar, the "Wolf of Wall Street," who gained notoriety by impersonating congressmen, is today under way in connection with the financing of the Labor Peace Council.

Lamar is charged with being the man who acted as go-between for von Rintelen in supplying the council with funds. Von Rintelen is said to be a friend of the Kaiser, who came to this country to take a leading part in the management of a scheme to tie up munition plants.

In a statement, U. S. District Attorney Marshall implied that von Rintelen and his associates succeeded in forcing a number of strikes in munition plants in this country.

RED CROSS BOOTHS OPEN SATURDAY

Mr. Avery reports 112,386 Red Cross Christmas Seals sold to date, not including those sold by nearly all the representatives outside of Kingston. He is enthusiastic about the showing Ulster county is making this year in this work for the prevention of the suffering and poverty caused by tuberculosis. He hopes to see this a banner county this year. That will be something for the people of this community to be proud of. The fact will be published throughout the country.

It is announced that Saturday of this week the booths will be opened. These will doubtless do excellently this year, since hundreds of letters have been received stating that the sender intended to patronize the booths liberally. Many other people have made this statement verbally to Mr. Avery and members of the committee. Although many hundred dollars have been received through the mail, the outlook is for better patronage of the booths than ever before.

Col. Hester 80 Years Old.

Col. William Hester, president of the Brooklyn Eagle Corporation, on Tuesday celebrated the eightieth anniversary of his birth in Kingston. Employes of the Eagle presented a bronze clock, intended for use on the Colonel's yacht, the Mahary, as a remembrance. Several employes spoke in praise of Col. Hester's work in conducting the Eagle and he responded with praise for his workmen.

Boyd Attacked by Rat.

Frank L. Boyd, who is on duty nights in the Riverside Garage, Montgomery, had a strange apparition, on Sunday morning, which turned out to be a reality. While he was dreaming of rats, one actual ly bit the lobe of one of his ears, sufficient to draw blood.

Erecting a New Store.

Fred W. Ewel is erecting a store building adjoining his residence, corner of Newkirk avenue and Chambers street, and when completed will open it as a notion and grocery store. The business will be in charge of his wife.

Accepted Call to Ellenville.

The Rev. Walter S. Mains of the Van Vorst Reformed Church of Jersey City, has accepted the call to the Ellenville Reformed Church and will enter on his duties some time in January.

For Homes For Aged.

Andrew Freedman of New York bequeathed practically all of his estate of several million dollars to establish a home for aged men and women. The other bequests reach a total of less than $150,000.

NEW BUILDINGS AT DYNAMITE PLANT

T. I. Rifenbary & Son, the well known contractors, have been awarded the contract for the erection of a number of new buildings at the plant of the Nitro Powder Company at Mingo Hollow.

The buildings to be erected will include two large manufacturing houses, each 30 by 36 feet in size, one story in height, and six watch-houses. The large buildings will be used for manufacturing purposes and the smaller buildings will be used as shelters for the watchmen employed at the plant.

The Nitro Powder Company is engaged in filling war orders and the new buildings are necessary for the execution of its contract.

LEIBHARDT.

Leibhardt, Dec. 9.—Miss Gladys Carter of Kingston spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snyder.

The children of Henry S. DeWitt, who have been spending a two weeks' vacation at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gray at Palentown, returned Sunday.

Moses Avery and grandson, Roy Avery of West Hurley are visiting their many relatives at this place this week. All are pleased to see them.

Mrs. D. J. Brown and mother, Mrs. Margaret Palen are visiting with friends in New York.

Mrs. Tina Gray called on Mrs. Alexander Brown Tuesday.

Friends in this place were saddened to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Leonard Wynkoop at Krumville last week. We extend our sympaty to the bereaved family.

Nial Hornbeck has employment at Brown's mill.

Miss Clara Smith of Samsonville was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Quick on Tuesday.

The Misses Coral Terwilliger and Florence Hornbeck were guests of Miss Louella Brown Monday.

Monctena Gray of Palentown was a guest of Henry DeWitt and Mrs. Eliza C. DeWitt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Miller of Krumville spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lawrence.

Peter Barnhardt and daughter, Mrs. Samuel Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barnhardt and son Peter enjoyed a trip around the Ashokan dam last Wednesday in their new automobile, recently purchased of Thornton & Wells.

The M. E. Sunday school are practicing for a Christmas entertainment to be held in the church Saturday evening, Dec. 25.

The pupils of the day school are selling the Red Cross Christmas Seals and are very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Quick of Rochester Center are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a young daughter, born Nov. 26.

Mrs. William Hornbeck and daughter, Miss Georgia and Grace were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Romain Brown one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs Andrew Gullickson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. DeWitt on Sunday.

Harry F. Brown, Arthur Quick, and Earl Miller left Tuesday for Bridgeport, Conn., for the winter. We wish the boys success at their new place.

At the Hospital.

Mrs. John Whittaker, an aged woman, who was injured in a fall in her home, No. 140 Flatbush avenue, on Wednesday, was removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the city ambulance that afternoon.

SOCIAL SERVICE BUREAU FUNDS

Sunday School Classes Aid and Individuals are Following Their Example—Useful Help Instead of Useless Christmas Gifts.

The plan adopted by several of the Sunday school classes of this city whereby each of such classes undertakes the care of deserving families or deserving children who are in need during the present winter, has been adopted in a modified form by several individuals, who have offered their co-operation to the Bureau of Social Service.

One woman has notified Mrs. MacMillan that instead of making her usual Christmas outlay on friends whom she knows will be the recipients of many gifts, she has decided to expend the same amount that she would otherwise spend for such gifts by making provision for some unfortunate individual or family for the Christmas season, and Mrs. MacMillan's knowledge of conditions, acquired through intimate acquaintance with the different sections of the city, will be used by the lady in question as the basis of the advice which she seeks from the Bureau of Social Service.

How well the plan will work out is indicated by what already has taken place. The woman in question notified Mrs. MacMillan of her intention not to give useless gifts to her friends. She made this decision not because she did not think the gifts would fail to be appreciated, for all Christmas gifts are always more or less appreciated, even though in some cases it be for only a short time, but in thinking over the Christmas question carefully she reached the conclusion that the money usually expended for gifts would accomplish far more practical results if expended under the direction of the Bureau of Social Service. There was nobody who was needy among her acquaintances, but she was aware from reading The Freeman of the work which the Bureau of Social Service and all the other organizations in town are doing, that Kingston contained needy cases in which such aid as she could offer would be most acceptable and probably necessary. She learned of a case which she thought might need such aid as she was prepared to give, and expressed a preference in aiding that case, when she unfolded her plan to Mrs. MacMillan. Investigation disclosed the fact that the plan would work admirably in that case.

Not only will substantial aid be needed throughout the winter, but many Kingstonians will feel glad of the opportunity to help furnish happiness to other families which are not of their acquaintance. This is especially true of families where there are children, and unless prompt response is made by willing contributors there will be more families where there are children in the household who will miss the Christmas cheer this year than there are families where such cheer will be found in abundance. The idea on which the woman referred to proceed to make plans was that Christmas joy and cheer should be equalized, no joy or cheer will be taken from any family in the actual working out of the plan, but a great deal of joy and cheer will be given to homes where otherwise it would not be found on Christmas day, and in this way the equalizing process will work admirably for the general joyousness and happiness of the entire city.

The Bureau of Social Service is co-operating with everyone who is willing to provide employment for the unemployed, and in securing employment for those who have none. It is helping to ease conditions whose existence cannot be denied. Its co-operation, however, must be met with a willingness to co-operate on the part of those who hope to see the best results accomplished, and without a universal determination to aid in a practical manner the best planned relief measures must fail. The plan proposed is so extremely practical that it should not fail to appeal to everyone.

Anyone who wants to help the Bureau of Social Service in providing for Christmas may communicate with Mrs. MacMillan at the office of the Bureau of Social Service in the Municipal Building on East O'Reilly street. The telephone call is 1586. The office is open from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m.; 1 to 2 p. m., and from 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

CHESS AT KINGSTON CLUB.

Kostics and Cassel to Begin Entertainment Friday Afternoon.

Boris Kostics, the Hungarian chess expert, and Hartwig Cassel, editor of the American Chess Bulletin, are expected to begin their entertainment at the Kingston Club at about 3 p. m. Friday. There will be also a continuance of the program in the evening. Besides Mr. Kostics' wonderful exhibition of "sans voir" playing, there will be much of an instructive nature for players desiring to improve themselves. Altogether, it will be the greatest thing of its kind known in the history of the club. There is nothing in the report that the musician Elman will participate. He is a chess player merely in the eye of his press agent, and there are at least twenty men in Kingston who can successfully give him odds.

Baseball in Big Colleges.

Yale, Harvard and Princeton probably will go on record as favoring summer baseball with restrictions.

GERMANY WILLING TO DISCUSS PEACE

Will Not Make Proposals, but is Willing to Discuss Those Made by the Allies, Chancellor Announces in the Reichstag.

By Telegraph to The Freeman

Berlin, Dec. 9.—Germany will make no peace proposals to the allies, but if the entente powers offer terms compatible with Germany's dignity and safety, the German government is willing to discuss them.

Imperial Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg so announced in the reichstag today.

The chancellor was cheered as he rose to make his promised reply to the Socialist interpellation on the question of peace and he was cheered again as he frankly stated the government's position.

He had just returned from a conference with Emperor William at army headquarters.

"As long as in the countries of our enemies the guilt and ignorance of statesmen are entangled with confusion of public opinion," said the chancellor, "it will be folly for Germany to make peace proposals which would not shorten the duration of the war."

GREAT BRITAIN YIELDS TO U. S.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Great Britain today gave in to the United States in the cases of the American steamers Hocking and Genesee. Ambassador Page at London cabled the state department that the British foreign office had notified him that the orders requisitioning the two vessels would be cancelled, pending prize court proceedings.

The foreign office further stated that no more vessels belonging to the American Transatlantic Company would be seized until the legality of the seizures of the Hocking and Genesee had been passed upon by the prize courts.

AN OVERCOAT SUIT.

Complicated Financing of an Overcoat Purchase Gets Into Court.

A disagreement over wages in which a new overcoat figured was brought to light in city court on Wednesday when Morris Hersea, a tailor, sued his former employer, Isidore O. Feldstein, who has a tailor shop at No. 730 Broadway. The case was tried before City Judge Brinnier with Judge N. Frank O'Reilly representing plaintiff and Attorney Van Buren of the firm of Van Buren & Loughran, appearing for the defendant. At the close of the case Judge Brinnier awarded plaintiff a verdict in the sum of $23 and costs.

From the testimony it appeared that Morris was employed by Feldstein as a tailor at a weekly remuneration of $11. His hours were from 8 o'clock in the morning to 7 o'clock at night. He claimed that Feldstein compelled him to work some nights until 11 o'clock and that Feldstein had agreed to pay him over-time at the rate of 20 cents an hour. Feldstein denied making such an agreement and claimed that Morris did not work over-time but was simply making up for the time he lost by coming to work late in the morning.

The new overcoat figured in the case when Morris claimed he had bought the coat from Feldstein, paying $6 down and agreeing to pay $3 a week until it was paid for. He got the coat and paid the six dollars. The coat became Morris's property on Thanksgiving Day when he and Feldstein attended the football game at the Athletic field together. Later Morris claimed that Feldstein wanted to wear the coat to New York city. Morris claimed he told Feldstein if he wore the coat he would expect him to pay him back the six dollars he said he had paid on it. Feldstein wore the coat to New York city and returned with it, but Morris claimed he refused to return him the six dollars and he also sued for the amount in addition to the back wages he claimed were due for working overtime.

On the other hand Feldstein claimed that the overcoat was his property and he only loaned it to Morris to wear on Thanksgiving Day and that Morris had not paid him the six dollars he claimed he had.

Morris does not work for Feldstein any more.

Big Fire in Genoa.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Genoa, Dec. 9.—A devastating fire fed by oil and cotton swept the quays today. Thousands of barrels of oil stored in the warehouses exploded. Seven thousand bales of cotton as well as great quantities of paraffin were destroyed. Twenty loaded railway cars were also burned.

Sunk by Submarines.

By Telegraph to The Freeman

London, Dec 9.—The Cunard steamer Vera and the steamship Goulandris have been sunk by submarines.

DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—Yes, Father Should Have Been a Little More Careful—

BY F. LEIPZIGER

Let Us Help You

YOU have always had the privilege of eating hurriedly and overmuch—of impairing your stomach to any extent that pleased you. And so, since turn about is fair play, why not give us the privilege of repairing the damage done?

THÜRINGER HOFBRÄU

AND THE NUTRITIOUS

OLD STOCK LAGER

Assist digestion and rest the stomach until normal strength is restored.

PETER BARMANN

OFFICE TELEPHONE CALL 66 KINGSTON

MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

The will of Charles D. Spencer of the town of Saugerties has been filed in the surrogate's court and a citation for its probate issued returnable January 4 The testator makes bequests of $200 each to his sisters, Abbie DuBois of Yonkers, Elsie Plass of Kingston and Elizabeth Havenburgh of Kingston; to his brother, John E Spencer of Cleveland, Ohio, and to James D Spencer of New York city. To James L Spencer, a son of the late mentioned legatee, he makes a bequest of $50 All household furniture, farm utensils, etc., are given to his sister, Elsie C. Plass The testator directs that his real estate be sold, and after the payment of debts, funeral expenses and legacies, that the balance of the estate be divided equally among the three sisters above mentioned James D Spencer of New York city is appointed executor. The will was executed July 30, 1914, and witnessed by Benjamin Rowe and Charles P. Jacobs, both of Saugerties The value of the estate is $1,000 real estate and $400 personal property. Benjamin Rowe appeared for the executor

The will of Charles Greene of the town of Saugerties was filed and a citation for its probate was issued returnable December 27 To the Saugerties Cemetery Association, the testator bequeaths the sum of $100 in trust for the perpetual maintenance of his plot in the Plattekill cemetery; all farming and quarry tools and implements, live stock and farm produce are given to his daughter, Grace M Fredenburgh, the life use of the balance of the estate is given to his wife, Melinda A Green, during her lifetime, and at her death is given to their daughter. The wife and daughter are appointed executrices The will was executed May 6, 1911, and witnessed by Byron L. Davis and the late Hon Charles Davis of Saugerties The value of the real estate is $1,200 and the personal property amounts to $10,000 Byron L. Davis appeared for the executrix

The will of Henry H Atkins of the town of Lloyd was admitted to probate The testator gives his estate to his wife, Annie Atkins, and their daughter, Eva Atkins, as joint tenants with the estate absolutely to the survivor, the wife being appointed guardian of the daughter and executrix of the estate The will was executed March 23, 1907, and witnessed by Joseph Schantz and Andrew Wright Lent, both of Highland The value of the real estate is $2,000 and the personal property amounts to $500 A D & A W. Lent appeared for the executrix

Letters of administration on the estate of Margaret Buntain of the town of Gardiner were issued to her husband, John K Buntain The value of the real estate is $300 and the personal property amounts to $325. Virgil B. Van Wagonen appeared for the administrator

SHOKAN

Shokan Dec 8—Mrs E Winchell entertained her class of boys on Monday evening

The Reformed Sunday school children are rehearsing for a cantata which is to be held on the 27th of December, after which will be held an oyster supper

Mrs. Emma Every is suffering with an attack of the grip and her daughter Miss Blanche, has a felon on her finger, which is very painful.

The Rev George Gulick has returned home, after being absent for about three weeks.

Joseph DeWitt, who has been sick for a long time, is able to be out again

Mrs Ephraim Weeks has returned home from Rockland Lake, where she has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, who has been sick.

Quite a number of young people united with the Reformed Church on Sunday.

Little Floyd Weeks, who has been sick for a long time, is improving.

Oscar Ganter returned to New York city, after spending Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

A number of young people attended the basketball game in Ashokan Friday evening

George Giles, contractor and builder, is working at Daniel Sampson's.

Mr. Gilling and family have moved to New York.

Willis Everett, who sold his place to Dr Pilgrim, of the Poughkeepsie State Hospital, has moved to New York city.

The Christmas exercises will be held in the Reformed Church on Monday evening, December 27. A cantata entitled, "Fairy Godmother," will be given, also recitations, solos and drills. An oyster supper will follow the exercises There will be a Christmas tree for the children, and "Santa Claus," will also be present

Communion service in the Reformed church was well attended. The following young ladies joined. the Misses Izora Giles, Edna Longyear, Dorothy Hyde and Blanche Hughes

C. Winchell has returned home after spending some time at Mount Vernon, N Y Mr Winchell had a pleasant trip coming all the way with his car.

Eben Buswell, our poultryman, is getting from two hundred to three hundred eggs every day Some rate, eh boys.

Men of Shokan met Thursday night at the Reformed Church Hall to organize a men's club.

Miss Izora Giles returned home from California, where she attended the Panama exposition.

Mrs. E. Buswell entertained at dinner last Friday, Mrs. G Giles, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Corbet and Mrs Wyman.

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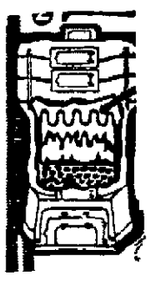

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PINE TREE DISEASE AFFECTS CURRANTS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The alarming character of the white pine blister rust and the economic loss which it threatens in the northeastern and western United States are sharply emphasized by four recent serious outbreaks on pine trees and currant bushes in Massachusetts and New York, says the United States Department of Agriculture. This disease was introduced on imported white pine nursery stock and first appeared at Geneva, New York, in 1906.

In 1909 extensive importations of diseased white pine nursery stock was located and destroyed in New York York and other eastern states, and warnings were issued broadcast against further importation of white pine from Europe. In spite of these warnings importation continued even from the particular nursery in Germany which was definitely known to be the main source of disease, until finally in 1912 all such importation was stopped by federal action.

The white pine blister rust affects the eastern white pine, the western white pine, the sugar pine and indeed all of the so-called five-leaf pines, producing cankers on the stems and branches, killing young trees and maiming and disfiguring old ones. It also produces a leaf disease of currant and gooseberry bushes The fungus causing the disease must live for a part of its life on pine trees and part of its life on currants and gooseberries. The disease cannot spread from one pine tree to another, but must pass first to currant bushes and then back to pine.

In Europe the disease has made the culture of American white pine impracticable in England, Denmark and Holland and has seriously handicapped its cultivation in Germany. Since the trees which it attacks include three of the most important timber three of the United States, the loss which this disease will produce if unchecked is very great. Fortunately, the disease is not now known to be present west of Buffalo, N. Y., but if it is not checked in the eastern states its untimate spread to the vast forests of the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific coast is certain. The disease now occurs in three localities in New Hampshire, two in Vermont, ten in Massachusetts, two in Connecticut, five in New York, one in Pennsylvania and three in Ontario, Canada.

The disease could be controlled now by the destruction of the diseased white pines or the complete destruction of all currant and gooseberry bushes in the vicinity of infected pine trees. Whether or not this simple action can be accomplished depends upon the legal authority possessed by the various state horticultural inspectors con- [illegible] If the inspector is not armed with authority to destroy either currant bushes or the diseased white pines without the consent of the owner, all efforts at control will be unavailing, as a single person by permitting diseased pines or currants to remain on his place can nullify the work of an entire community.

GLASCO.

Glasco, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hommel are in New York city this week doing their Christmas shopping.

A clam chowder supper will be served in the M. E. Church basement on Thursday evening of this week.

Miss Evelyn Wescott Peer, who has been quite ill for a week or more, is still under the care of Dr. Krom.

William Burhans is putting the finishing touches upon a beautiful bird house he has been making in his spare hours. It is about twelve by eighteen inches, and is an almost exact imitation in miniature of the Glasco M. E. Church, with stained glass windows, belfry and steeple.

The M. E. Sunday school people are preparing for Christmas services to be held on Christmas eve.

Our postmistress, Mrs. Althea B. Teitter, is enjoying frequent motoring trips in her new car.

Miss Myrtle Weeks was a Kingston visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. May Lasher, organist of the M. E. Church, was unable to attend services on Sunday, being confined to her home with a serious throat affection. Dr. Calvin Emerick is attending her.

PALENTOWN.

Palentown, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Homer Traver has returned home after spending two weeks at Krumville, caring for her mother through sickness and death.

Roy Van has finished his carpenter work for M. Gray of the Height, and will be employed by Homer Traver for some time.

Freeman Roosa has an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Jerry Keator is on the gain.

Anyone wishing to purchase a three year old colt will do well to call on Everett Brannen. He has one for sale.

Homer Traver and son, John, spent Wednesday in Kingston.

Mrs. H. Traver spent Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Shurter, at Samsonville.

Harris Dymond is doing some carpenter work for Benjamin Davis in Krumville.

Firemen For Fifty Years.

To Evander M. Hamilton, former chief of the Middletown Fire Department, and Peter F. Miller, charter member of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, were presented certificates Monday evening acknowledging fifty years of membership and meritorious service.

Coal Dear in Paris.

A cold winter is anticipated in Paris. Coal ranges in price from $23 to $28 a ton, and the poor are going without heat.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Dec. 9.—An old-fashioned entertainment entitled, "The Rag Sociable," will be given in the chapel of the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, December 14. The following are the characters:

Mrs. Winters, the hostess, middle-aged lady ..... Mrs. Anna Elting
Betsy and Mark Winters, her little daughters, demure, but with a suggestions of mischief in their manner .....
Mrs. Charles Zimmerman and Miss Wava Stephenson.
Miss Jemima Rush, her next door neighbor, also middle-aged .....
—Mrs. George W. Shultis
Mrs. Matilda Robins, a quaint old lady ..... Mrs. Ira Clearwater
Mrs. Bassett, elderly, rheumatic and fat ..... Mrs. Ernest Hutchings
Mrs. Collins, middle-aged .....
—Mrs. Benjamin Wells
Miss Salina Grey, uncertain age .....
—Mrs. Harry Mabie
Miss Barbara Allen and Miss Harriet Allen, elderly twins, dressed alike, one vivacious and emphatic, the other shy and retiring .....
Miss May LaPine and Mrs. Leslie Foote.
Miss Martha Ann Hall, uncertain age ..... Mrs. Vinal LeFever
Miss Eliza Hall, her younger sister..
—Mrs. Elmer Hutchings
Mrs. Jane Tompkins, Jane, Eliza and Amanda Tompkins, aunt and cousins to the Halls; Jane, Eliza and Amanda youthful and pretty; Amanda, a good soprano .....
Miss Mary F. Bishop, Miss Ella LaPine, Miss Jennie Stephenson.

Doors will open at 7:30 o'clock. Entertainment at 8 o'clock. No admission, but a free-will offering will be taken Ice cream and cake on sale after the entertainment. Everybody come and help along a most worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vincent are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter at their home on Salem street. Dr. G. W. Ross was in attendance.

Mrs. Clarence Craig and daughter, Bernice May, are guests of Mrs. Craig's mother, Mrs. Lillian Horton, on Schryver street.

Miss Minnie Sweigel of Riverside avenue is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frederick Spinneweber, on Salem street.

The trustees of District No. 1 will give $5 for the conviction of the person or persons who entered the school house of said district Saturday evening and stole several hundred pounds of coal out of the coal bin.

Mid-week prayer and praise service will be held in the Reformed and Methodist churches this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are welcome to these services.

Nothing but the very best reports are heard from the entertainment in Pythian Hall on Tuesday evening. Especially good were the witty sayings about the business people in the village. Sleightsburgh talent needs to be highly congratulated.

Keep in mind the oyster supper to be given inthe Methodist chapel on Tuesday, December 14, by members of Division No. 3 of the Ladies' Aid Society. Oyster stews, sandwiches and coffee on sale. Also a table of a few choice fancy articles to be sold at a reasonable price. Just the articles for Christmas gifts. Entertainment in the chapel at 8 o'clock, entitled "The Rag Sociable."

There will be election of three trustees in the Methodist chapel this evening at 8:30 o'clock, in place of three whose term of office expires at this time.

Mrs. A. Wurts Taylor of Albany is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hotaling, on Broadway.

William Furgerson of St. Remy called on friends here Wednesday.

CLINTONDALE.

Clintondale, Dec. 9.—Edgar Gunsalus of this place and Corsie Gunsalus of Highland motored to Waterbury, Conn., on Wednesday last to spend Thanksgiving with Henry Gunsalus and family.

Mr. and Mrs Miles Elmendorf returned on Thursday last from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn and Port Chester, N. Y.

The Rev. and Mrs Edward G. Williams are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son at their home on December 3.

Miss Marion Schoonmaker of New Hurley visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs J. E. Jenkins Saturday and Sunday.

Hasbrouck Ellis has been enlarging his barn by putting an addition on the west side. S. Coutant did the carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McKinstry, Floyd McKinstry and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dusinberre of Gardiner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Siah Rosa.

Mrs. Hasbrouck Ellis is visiting friends at Napanoch and Ellenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schepmoes are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a young daughter at their home on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Nathan Ackhart was in Poughkeepsie on Monday.

Harry Thompson is having an addition built to his residence.

Walter Elmendorf of New York is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Elmendorf.

On the coming Sunday morning in the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene the subject will be. "Rivers of Water." In the evening the union temperance service will be held. On Friday night the topic of thought will be. "Every Believer Should Be Sanctified Because Christ Prayed For It." On Sunday, December 19th, the Rev. Mrs. S. N. Fitkin of Brooklyn will be present at the morning and evening services and will speak. Mrs. Fitkin is well known in this vicinity.

War Damages an Ice Crop.

Health Officer Coons of Yonkers has forbidden the harvesting of ice from Peckham's Lake, Dunwoodie. Thousands of horses have been stabled near the lake, awaiting shipment to the allied armies, and the water has become polluted.

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I saw the faces of mothers beam as the children danced with joy. I saw the father's countenance break into a smile while the little miss glanced with a desire of possession over the Great Doll Congress. I saw the grandmother, with deeply furrowed brow—e'en as mine own—and her eye not so lustrous as of yore, kindle with the spark of youthful happiness as the juvenile toddler pulled her hither and thither to see this or that plaything.

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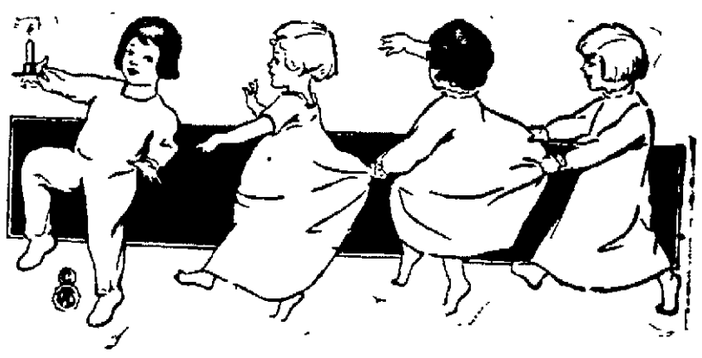

PINE GROVE.

Pine Grove, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Leonard Snyder and son, Raymond, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Mower, at Katsbaan.

Henry Burton, wife and daughter, Viola, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Jonah Clum, on Clum Hill.

Arthur Snyder has sold his horse to Winfield Braby and purchased another from out of town parties.

Mrs. John Doyle and daughter of Saugerties are spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Althizer.

Mrs. Russell MacMurchy of Syracuse was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bishop at Greenwood Farm.

Mrs. Russell Mac Murchy has sold her farm here to Real Estate Agent Edward Moran of Saugerties.

Myer Snyder, wife and daughter spent Sunday with her parents at Hommelville.

On Thanksgiving day a 28 pound turkey occupied the center of the dining table at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Renwick Dibbell on Main street, Tannersville, and it did not weigh an ounce too much. The whole family were right there with the appetite. The eldest honored guest of the occasion was Mrs. Anna Bishop of Veteran. Mrs. Bishop is 91 years of age. At the same table with her was her daughter, her grandson, three granddaughters and two great grandchildren, the youngest barely two years old. Providence has been especially kind and the whole four generations are enjoying good health and happiness. Mrs. Dibbell is a sister of Edward Bishop of this place and also Frank Bishop, formerly of Veteran, now of Tannersville.

J. Stoll moved a load of furniture for Mrs. R. Mac Murchy on Tuesday to Abbott's garage, near Saugerties.

Mrs. Charles Dapping and daughter and Miss Genevieve Yager of West Saugerties were Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. Charles Bishop, and family.

Several Pine Grove people are suffering from heavy colds.

Our school teacher is planning to have a Christmas entertainment. Time and date to be given later.

Butchering is the order of the day in this place. Several porkers were slaughtered during the past few weeks.

BEECHFORD.

Beechford, Dec. 9.—The annual election of officers for the coming year will be held at the Boiceville school house Sunday, December 12. A large attendance is desired as business of importance will be transacted.

Mrs. M. J. Every had the misfortune to hurt her arm very badly last week.

Miss Mattie Churchill spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. L. P. Bishop.

Mrs. A. L. Snyder visited relatives in Kingston on Friday and Saturday of last week.

E. J. Hasbrouck is visiting in Rochester, N. Y.

The U. & D. R. R. Co. have removed the old Cold Brook station and graded and repaired the road leading from the bridge to the new station.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Every have returned home after an extended stay in Claryville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Winchell entertained a party of friends from Kingston on Sunday evening.

A number of Christian Endeavorers from Kingston visited the Boiceville Sunday school Sunday last and addressed the school regarding the starting of a society here. No organization was formed.

Miss Beatrice Kothe is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. M. Every.

The Boiceville Sunday and day schools will unite in their Christmas celebration this year. On Thursday evening, December 23, a free supper will be held in the school house for the people of this vicinity. Supper will be served from 5 to 7:30 p. m. At 7:45 p. m. the Christmas exercises will be held. A very interesting program is being arranged and a good time is anticipated.

The Rev. G. W. Gulick preached a fine sermon at the school house on Tuesday evening. He will preach again on Tuesday, December 21.

Mrs. L. Hossman is visiting her parents in New York.

To Stop Needless Noise.

Barking dogs, yowling cats and screeching parrots are listed with flat car wheels, faulty brakes and the raucous cries of street hawkers as undesirable noises which the New York police are ordered to suppress in an order issued by Commissioner Woods. The order applies to all unnecessary noises both by day and by night.

Boom in Shipbuilding.

In July, 1914, just before the war in Europe began, there were under construction in the United States twelve ocean-going merchant ships. Today there are building more than 150 such vessels, with a total tonnage exceeding one-fourth of the entire American-built ocean tunnage at the beginning of the war.

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KINGSTON, N. Y., DEC. 9, 1915.

The Ulster County Automobile Club in awarding cash prizes to highway patrolmen encourages efficient work by these employes of the state highway department in keeping the roads in as good condition as they can. The club emulates the example of railroad companies, which reward section hands for the best stretch of roadbed. Ulster county is becoming noted for its good roads and the problem of maintenance is a large one, but it is being taken care of in a systematic manner and much credit is due the patrolmen who go along the roads with cracked stone and tar or asphaltic binder and fill in holes and level rough places. The institution of the patrol system was effected on the idea that "a stitch in time saves nine." This has proved more or less true in practice, though sooner or later every macadam road, no matter how energetic its patrolman may be in making repairs, has to be resurfaced. But there is no question that through the efforts of the patrolmen the time for resurfacing is much extended and a large sum thereby saved the State, counties and towns.

The annual report of the secretary of the treasury on "the state of the finances" contains 198 pages dealing with figures and other things, including politics. Members of the President's cabinet appear to be unable to issue any public document or statement without making it in some way a vehicle of politics. For example, Secretary McAdoo's opening sentence reads: "It must be a source of profound satisfaction to the people of the United States, regardless of political affiliations, to contrast the conditions today with those prevailing in this country in December, 1914." If conditions are better than they were—and no doubt they are—the people certainly are gratified, even though they may not be "profoundly satisfied;" but in any event, gratification and satisfaction when they exist have their basis in fact and are not influenced by politics. A suggestion that they may be influenced is gratuitous and unwarranted and reflects on the breadth of view of Americans. Secretary McAdoo follows his opening with statements by Dun and others on business conditions, as if the people of the various states and cities are incapable of judging for themselves as to how things are.

Secretaries McAdoo and Redfield want the government to spend $50,000,000 in building mercantile ships to be leased to corporations formed for the purpose of operating them. The public will be asked to subscribe to the capital stock, and if it is willing to take all of it the government will take none. This scheme is brought forward in place of the ship-purchase act of which so much was heard—little to its credit—a year ago. The Democratic administration realizes the need of encouraging American shipping but would give encouragement in any or every way except the right way. Americans will build and operate all the ships the country requires when the shipping laws are made favorable and the government shows it is in earnest in a desire for the American flag to have its rightful place on the high seas.

"In a country of great industries like ours," observes President Wilson, "it ought to be easy to distribute the burdens of taxation without making them anywhere bear too heavily or too exclusively on any one set of persons or undertakings." It is not so easy as it may seem to his excellency. Almost every state government in the Union has been engaged for years in "distributing the burdens of taxation." Besides levying on real and personal property, the various states apparently have vied with one another in taxing every business and every transaction regarded taxable. The result is that the common people have found the cost of living rising higher and higher. Business interests are collected from by the State but these reimburse themselves by raising prices of goods or rates of service. New federal taxes as proposed by the Wilson administration will duplicate in one way or another levies already made by states.

So serious was it expected the effect of the European war on the success of the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco would be that there was talk a year or so ago, after millions of dollars had been expended, of abandoning the entire project. There were few exhibits from belligerent countries and it was thought the attendance would be small. The exposition has just closed and is said to have been one of the most successful ever held. To a greater extent than any other enterprise of the kind promoted in this country, it was a "Made in America" exposition, and Americans made it a notable financial success by running the attendance figure up to 18,000,000. While Europe has been in the throes of war, with its wholesale destruction of life and property, the United States has turned westward to where have been assembled the works of peace with their incentive to progress and constructive activity. Many of the people of the United States, including a large number accustomed to spending their seasons abroad, have improved the opportunity occasioned by the European turmoil to get acquainted with one another, to learn of the arts and manufactures of their country, and to view the wonders of the Western land. They could not have otherwise spent their leisure time more profitably.

Reformed Church of the Comforter.

Last Sunday morning seven persons were received into the fellowship of the church. This makes fifty-six in twelve months, thirty-two of whom have joined on confession of faith, and all but two have been adults. The work of the church has greatly prospered during the past year.

The Bible School will hold its Christmas exercises on Friday evening, December 24. There will be songs and recitations by different members of the school, a Christmas tree and a general good time for all who attend. The school under the leadership of P. H. Carey as superintendent is increasing in interest and attendance. Let every enrolled member encourage him and the pastor by regular attendance at the sessions of the Bible school.

Next Monday evening at 7:30 the executive committee of the Bible school will hold its regular monthly meeting in the chapel. It is hoped all the officers, teachers and substitute teachers will plan to be present as there is considerable business to be transacted relating to Christmas and work for the new year.

The Christmas services will be observed on Sunday, December 26. The pastor will preach appropriate sermons both morning and evening, and the chorus choir of eighteen voices, under the direction of W. Whiting Fredenburgh, will render some fine Christmas music at both the services. At the morning service the newly elected elders and deacons will be ordained and installed. Let every member and friend of the church plan to be present and enjoy these Christmas services.

HIGH WOODS.

High Woods, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Felter of Danbury, Conn., spent a few days with his parents the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Saugerties spent Sunday with Lewis Yorks.

Lewis E. Snyder, who has been spending some time in Onesquethaw, has returned home.

Our community is saddened by the death within a week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greene. We extend our sympathy to the daughter in this hour of bereavement. They will be missed in the church and in our social gatherings, but our loss is their gain.

Mrs. Sarah Longendyke is spending the winter with her sons in Brooklyn.

Miss Mary J. Carle entertained on Monday, November 22, Mr. and Mrs. Lansing Carle, Mrs. C. F. Snyder and Mrs. Fred Shader and children, it being in honor of their birthdays.

Albert Shader of Norwich spent a few days with friends the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Aken of Yonkers has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Carle entertained company on Sunday.

Alexander Wolven and daughters, Lillie and Alice, spent Saturday and Sunday in Saugerties.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Snyder spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shader.

Miss Nita Mitchell of Albany county is spending some time with Miss D. A. Snyder.

Miss Pearl Longendyke of Saugerties spent the past week in this place.

KRUMVILLE.

Krumville, Dec. 9.—Miss Joanna Embree is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Davis, at Kingston.

The funeral of Mrs. Leonard Wynkoop, which was held in Krumville Church Wednesday at 1 o'clock, was largely attended. Friends were there from Pine Hill, Napanoch and Kingston.

Joseph Burgher has returned home for the winter from Kyserick, where he had been employed by Elmer Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elisa Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Donohue of Kingston have returned home after spending the past week with their parents in this place.

Miss Gertrude Regan spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Misses Anna and Lulu Merribew.

Quite a number of young people from this place attended the party at Martin Crispell's Saturday night. All reported a fine time.

Miss Pearl Davenport, who has been absent from school a week with a very sore eye, is able to attend.

School Law is Attacked.

The statute that authorizes the department of health to apply a literacy test to young boys desiring to seek employment after they have been declared proficient by the board of education is unreasonable and absurd, according to an opinion rendered by Justice Collins in New York.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Ah, see! There is the sun setting!" "That's nothing. So's my hen."—Baltimore American.

"How did you come out with your law suit?" "I won it." "Get damages?" "Sure! I got almost enough to pay my lawyer."—Boston Transcript.

"Do the people of your church dance?" "I'm sorry to say they do." "Bad." "Don't the people of your church dance?" "No. They only think they do."—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

"How are you getting on as the presiding officer of your new club?" "Pretty well," said the emphatic woman. "No trouble with parliamentary points?" "Not much. The only difficulty I have is to remember that you must hold on to the gavel and hammer with it instead of throwing it."—Washington Star.

Willis—"Eternity has neither beginning nor end, neither form nor shape, is so vast and complex that we can't understand and yet at the same time is a void. There's nothing like it, is there?" Gillis—"The only other thing I know of that answers the description is a moving picture serial in a newspaper."—Puck.

Mr. Picklelily came home from his club one morning about 5 o'clock. He entered his happy home, crept up the stairs softly, so as not to awaken his spouse, then felt for the switch to turn on the electric light. He could not find it and in the darkness stumbled over a chair. "What's that?" came a voice from the bed. "Where in the deuce are the lights in this house?" snarled Picklelily, trying to put a bold face on the matter. "Lights!" cried Mrs. Picklelily scathingly. "Pull up the blinds!"—Judge.

The Cripple.

"The younger members of a congregation sometimes ask shrewd questions," says a parson. "I once told a very young class that there were as many commandments as there were fingers and thumbs on the two hands. One of my listeners introduced a small friend to me a day or so after, with the question: "Please, sir, here's Jim. He's only got three fingers on his left hand, on account of an accident, an' me an' him's been talkin' it over ever since last Sunday which one of them commandments wouldn't belong to him."—Rochester Times.

Immune to Cold.

Gouverneur Morris, the New York litterateur, said at a luncheon in Brooklyn:

"American society is the most exclusive in the world. Unless quite useless, for a litterateur to try to force his way into it.

"I know a litterateur who, on the strength of a best seller, managed to get himself invited to a dinner at Mrs. Van Astercordt's.

"'Well, did Mrs. Van Ostercordt's cordiality stagger you?' I asked him the next day.

"'Oh, no, no, not at all,' he answered. 'You see before I took up writing I worked in an ice-making plant.'"—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

No Time to Repent.

Chauncey Depew said at a dinner in Lenox, apropos of a young man who had made a bad marriage:

"He had an income from his aunt of $30,000. By marrying a waitress against his aunt's wishes, he has lost this income. He will now have to go to work.

"I'm afraid," Mr. Depew concluded, "that this is a case of marrying in haste and repenting at leisure. I don't see, however, where our young friend will find any leisure."—Washington Star.

And Mrs. Moriarity.

Mrs. T. P. O'Connor tells about a sightseeing tour which she made in a New Orleans auto-bus:

"The car was full of tourists, and the guard shouted with a strong voice through a megaphone. Nothing of his intonings remains in my memory except his reply to a tourist who asked, as we entered one of the beautiful cemeteries, what the four figures kneeling at the corners of the base of a tall marble shaft represented. He answered, 'That monument was erected by Mr. Moriarity, and the four figures represent Faith, Hope and Charity, and Mrs. Moriarity.'

TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO.

December 9, 1905.—Mrs. Nellie Wolven, widow of Isaac Wolven, died at the age of 69.

McNamee & Rice began tearing up the pavement in John street to lay a subway for the Hudson River Telephone Company.

Miss Julia Searing of Kingston, president of the senior class in Vassar College, was tendered a party by her classmates in honor of her birthday.

Frank Pidgeon, Saugerties contractor, became a bankrupt with liabilities of $172,760 and assets of $9,482.

A woodshed fire at the house of James Winfield in Garden street called out the firemen.

Ulster county's budget for the year was fixed at $219,657.

A West Park Italian ended his life by hanging in the woods.

December 9, 1895.—Members of the Common Council were summoned before the grand jury to explain why the Hurley road was left in such a "terrible condition."

The foundation for a large addition to the Diamond Truck Works was completed.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weaver of Hickory Bush celebrated their golden wedding.

Two alleged outlaws, who had made their headquarters in Esopus for a few years, were arrested in Poughkeepsie.

It was predicted that the Hudson river would be frozen over in a week.

WEST SAUGERTIES.

West Saugerties, Dec. 9.—Fred Mott and wife have returned to Saugerties, after spending the summer here.

Miss Moon, our teacher, boards with Mrs. Hannah Carn.

Mrs. Frank Myer and children, Bertha and Harold, of Blue Mountain, spent Wednesday of last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. C. Myer.

James Deyo and William Smith of Springtown, N. Y., were guests at the home of Samuel Myer last week.

David Delamater has returned from New Baltimore, where he was working.

Burton Winne and sister, Grace, were Saugerties visitors on Thursday of last week.

John Schalk has taken his old stand in Partition street, where he will sell Christmas greens and trees.

O. L. Carn, Mrs. Hannah Carn, Miss Moon and Jacob Rogers motored to Saugerties on Friday afternoon.

David Cole and Peter Myer are doing some carpenter work for O. L. Carn.

Mr. Menick of Saugerties was in this place on Friday, attending to the telephone wires.

Hattie Snyder, who has been working in Tannersville, is home for the winter.

Christian Endeavor meetings will be held on Sunday nights hereafter, instead of Friday.

Mrs. Fred Penrose and children, who have been visiting her parents for a week, has returned to her home in Tannersville.

Charles E. Hommel and wife spent a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. Louis Koch, in Saugerties.

Mrs. William Myer was a Saugerties visitor on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bach and son, Charles, also John Carn and wife, were shoppers in Saugerties on Tuesday.

Mr. Cordes has taken the Bible class, formerly taught by Mrs. S. P. Cole. We are much pleased to obtain such a good substitute.

ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Dec. 9.—The leader of the Christian Endeavor next Sunday night will be Mrs. Walter Kuhoupt. Topic, "The reasonableness and value of the Christian Endeavor Pledge." Ps. 61:1-8.

Burton Shultis had an attack of the grip last week, but is better.

Ralph Lawrence is not as well as usual.

Mrs. Martha Rose of Pocantico Hills was the week end guest of Edgar Ellsworth and family.

Mrs. Eliza Shook of Port Ewen was the guest of Mrs. William Hall last week.

Mrs. Walter Kuhoupt and daughter, Rosina, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoffman in Kingston.

Miss Ada Coons of Kingston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Slover on Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hunt have moved back to St. Remy.

Ralph Lawrence has sold his horse to Walter May.

Alvan Rothenberg was the guest of Mary Agnew and family on Sunday.

The Epworth League will hold their meeting at the residence of S. G. Haines on Friday evening.

John Deyo and family of Ellenville have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freer.

W. H. Shultis of Kingston called on friends in this place on Tuesday.

Chester Wells broke two of his ribs a short time ago. He is doing as well as can be expected.

The Christmas exercises will take place on Saturday evening, December 25. There will be no tree this year, but refreshments will be served to the members of the school. The Home Department and Cradle Roll included.

Mrs. E. Buddington of Kingston called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lawrence on Tuesday.

Mrs. Lena Nelson of New Jersey, a sister-in-law of Martha Peterson, came last week to make her a visit and when she arrived here found she was dead.

Lester Ferguson was married last week to Miss Ruth Van Vliet of Port Ewen.

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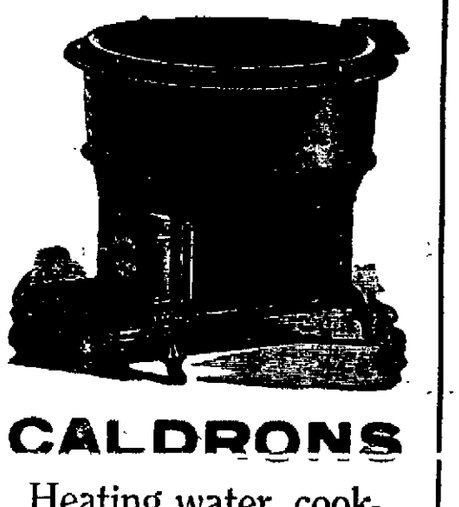

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CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.
Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have received the warrant for the collection of the special assessment of 75 per cent of the expense incurred in the construction of a sanitary sewer, for Hemlock avenue and VanGaasbeek street between existing sewer in East Chester street and Shurter property on Van Gaasbeek street, in the city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for collection at my office in the city hall, in said city; that for thirty days from the date of this notice the said assessment may be paid without additional fees or charges, and that for the next succeeding days a per centum additional will be collected.

If any of the said special assessment shall remain unpaid at the time last mentioned, I shall give a written or printed notice to the person or persons against whom such assessment stands charged, requiring them to pay such unpaid assessment to me at my office within thirty days thereafter, with 5 per centum fees thereon, and one dollar for such notice, as required by the city charter.

Dated at the treasurer's office, city of Kingston, December 6th, 1915.

F. H. DOREMUS,
City Treasurer.

AT A SPECIAL TERM OF THE Supreme court of the state of New York, held in the city hall at Albany, Albany county, on the 27th day of November, 1915.—Present, Hon. William P. Rudd, justice.—In the matter of the application of Potter, Sloan, O'Donohue Company, for authority to change its name to Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc.

Upon reading and filing the petition of Potter, Sloan, O'Donohue Company, a domestic corporation, duly verified by Alfred P. Sloan, its president, wherein said petitioner prays for an order authorizing it to assume another corporate name, to-wit; the name Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc., and upon filing the certificate of the secretary of state, annexed thereto, certifying that the name which such corporation proposes to assume is not the name of any other domestic corporation or a name which he deems so nearly resembling it as to be calculated to deceive and upon filing proof that a copy of the petition herein and of the notice of motion were duly filed with the secretary of state, and upon filing due proof by affidavits, showing that notice of presentation of said petition has been duly published once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Kingston Daily Freeman, a newspaper of the county of Ulster, in which county such corporation has its principal office, and also once in each week for three successive weeks in the Brooklyn Daily Times, a newspaper in the county of Kings in which county such corporation has a business office, and the court being satisfied by said petition and by the affidavits and certificate presented therewith that the petition is true and that there is no reasonable objection to the change of name proposed, and that the petition has been duly authorized, and that notice of the presentation of the petition, as required by law, has been made.

Now, on motion of Decker & Allen, attorneys for the said petitioner, and no one opposing, it is

ORDERED that said petition be and the same is hereby granted, and that the petitioner herein, Potter, Sloan, O'Donohue Company, be and it hereby is authorized to assume another corporate name, to-wit; the name Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc., on and after the 31st day of December, 1915, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED AND DIRECTED that this order be entered and the papers on which it is granted be filed within ten days from the date hereof in the office of the clerk of Ulster county, the county in which the certificate of incorporation of said corporation is filed, and that a certified copy of this order, within ten (10) days after the entry thereof be filed in the office of the secretary of state, and FURTHER, that a copy of this order be published once a week for four (4) successive weeks in the Kingston Daily Freeman, a newspaper published in the county of Ulster, beginning within ten (10) days after the entry hereof.

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"DETECTIVE" MOVED TO FREE "PRISONER"

Tearful Tale and offer of $1,000 Too Much for the Man who Had Visions of Being a Hero and Winning $500 Reward

A "desperate criminal" long sought by the police was "arrested" at the Mansion House Wednesday evening by a popular downtown young man who had visions of collecting a $500 reward as well as being lauded as a hero by his admiring friends, and behind that statement lurks the story of one of the best jokes pulled off in Rondout in some time.

It seems that there is a drummer from New York in town on business and that evening while in the hotel lobby he picked up a newspaper from down the river and in looking through it ran across a picture of a man wanted on a charge of larceny. "Gee" he remarked aloud "that looks something like me." At this point one of the prime movers in the joke was struck by a happy thought and approaching the drummer he dropped in a seat alongside of him and after some conversation broached the scheme of playing a joke on another young man.

After listening to the plan the drummer who was not averse to having a little sport consented to play the "goat." That was enough. The victim selected to make the arrest was sought out by some friends and informed that a man wanted by the police was in the Mansion House and he could easily make $500 if he arrested him.

"But I am no detective" he said at first, but finally he was won over when his friends kindly consented to secure a badge for him to wear. The badge was later produced and the "detective" pinned it on the inside of his coat and thus armed walked into the lobby of the hotel.

He soon saw the criminal and after some time summoned up courage and dropped into a seat alongside of the drummer and after a brief conversation accused him of being the man he wanted and placed him under arrest

The drummer at first refused to accompany the "detective" but the latter was backed up by his friend who told him to go ahead and he would help take the "prisoner" up to 1818 Wall street in his automobile The drummer finally confessed that he might as well give up and they all piled into the friend's automobile and started for 1818 Wall street

They had gotten nearly to the city hall when the drummer turned to the man who had arrested him and with tears in his eyes implored him to take mercy and not put him in jail and disgrace his wife and seven small children In a burst of generosity the drummer confided that he had the $25,000 he had stolen in his room at the hotel and if the "detective" would let him go he would double the reward making the detective a present of $1,000

It did not take the detective long to make up his mind and he ordered the driver of the automobile to turn around and to "drive like —" back to the hotel. He did so

When they reached the hotel the drummer said he had changed his mind and would not pay over the $1,000 but would press the charge against the "detective" if he was arrested, of accepting a bribe.

It is needless to say that the "detective" began to shake in his shoes and streams of perspiration rolled down his cheeks as he had visions of his name being featured in the public press as the man who accepted a bribe instead of doing his duty like a loyal citizen.

His friends began to see that the joke might go too far and invited the "prisoner" and the "detective" into the bar room where, over a glass of applejack, the joke was explained to the victim He has not heard the last of it yet.

JOSEPH A. GILMAN.

GILMAN WILL PROBABLY BE HARVARD CAPTAIN.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 9.—Joseph A. Gilman, of Honolulu, star tackle on this year's Harvard team, will probably be elected captain of next year's eleven in the election to be held next Friday.

The entire team will be banqueted at the Harvard Club of Boston at the Copley Square Hotel on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21.

In the Days Gone By.

The father of a football player must feel a thrill of pride to think of the times gone by when he could promise the boy a licking with confidence in his ability to make good.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Lucas Avenue Heights.

Leo Krom and Harry Spearman, both of Arkville, were the guests of Miss Alice Post on Sunday.

Fourth Binnewater.

A box social for the benefit of the pastor will be held at the chapel on Monday evening, December 13. Each lady is requested to bring lunch for two in a box with her name written inside. The gentlemen can have their choice of boxes for 25 cents. Everybody welcome and an enjoyable evening is being planned for all.

The Sunday school is making preparations for the Christmas tree and entertainment at the chapel Christmas eve.

R. P. Talmage is again in our midst, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Neise.

Grandpop must have all the rabbits cleaned up about the Fourth as no person has had a crack at one in three weeks.

Ernest Hayes is again our banner chicken man; his flock is now shelling out 50 cent eggs at the rate of 12 dozen a week, while the rest of us look on with awe.

First snow of any consequence fell to the depth of one inch on Wednesday.

MOMBACCUS HEIGHTS.

Mombaccus Heights, Dec. 9.—Prayer meeting was held at the home of the Rev. A. Quick on Wednesday evening of last week. This week it will be held at A. M. Green's on Wednesday evening.

Percy Green, who is employed on the West Shore railroad, made a short visit at the home of his parents in this place last week.

The Smith boys, with their gasoline outfit, were sawing wood for parties in Mombaccus on Friday and Saturday.

Lester Green, who has spent the season at Minnewaska, is home for the winter.

Miss Edna Smith, who has been spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. Lorin Davis, of Granite, returned home Sunday.

Mrs Loris Davis is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green.

Solomon Uhtraff will leave for New York city this week to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Charles Hastelino and family spent Sunday with Joel Lennon and family.

Thomas Morehouse was an Ellenville visitor Tuesday.

There are rumors of a Christmas entertainment being given in the Reformed Chapel in this place.

LATTINGTOWN.

Lattingtown, Dec. 9.—The rumor that the Rev. Joseph Grimley fruit farm was sold, is incorrect.

Potato digging in this vicinity was as late as November 30.

Miss Nellie Odell, who is teaching on Long Island, made a few days' visit home

L. W. Craft has set out 10 000 perfection raspberry plants and last spring 15 000 strawberry plants

S. B. Wygant has purchased a new two-seated Ford car.

F. C. Craft has moved his tool house and pickers cottage west of the large barn.

Lloyd Wiant, who worked here formerly, has gone to work for Frank Dayton, about two miles north of this neighborhood

The new house of Milton Odell is now occupied by him and Mrs. M. Odell.

Mr and Mrs William Woolsey of Highland called in town recently.

Mrs. Cleary of Walden visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. James Riely

The value of the circular water fountain in Marlborough is lessened by not having water in it

Hay and straw is being delivered in this and the lower section

Mr. Williams of Plattekill hay pressed is from $20 to $24 per ton.

Mrs. Charles Best is going on a few weeks' visit to relatives in Newark, N. J.

SHADY.

Shady, Dec. 9.—Mrs Leah Hoyt is very ill with pneumonia As she is eighty-five years old and feeble, it seems there is not much hope of her recovery.

Joseph Shultis is having a new residence erected He has a fine location and view of the surrounding mountains.

Oscar Howland is building a house on L. McDaniel's mountain. It is so near completed that they expect to move in soon.

Arthur Rose is building a house on Hutchens Hills. He surely has a commanding view of mountains and valleys.

The Shady school is to give an entertainment in the school room on Tuesday evening, December 21 Admission 15 cents for adults and 10 cents for children. Refreshments will be served after the concert. Come one and all.

New Lighting System.

A new system of indirect electric lighting has been installed in the big store of Stock & Cordts on Broadway, and is a decided improvement over the old system.

Combination of Worth.

Frugality is good, if liberality be joined with it. The first is leaving off superfluous expenses; the last bestowing them for the benefit of others that need. The first without the last begets covetousness, the last without the first begets prodigality. Both together make an excellent temper. Happy the place where that is found. —Penn.

As the "Ford

is to other" automobiles, so the "Vanophone" is to other Talking Machines.

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Smart, becoming silk velvet Hats for women and misses—

Special $1.98 Designed to sell for $3.98 to $5

Every Hat is now reduced to **$5.00** —that formerly sold up to $12

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This is an entirely different kind of gift shop. It represents just the cream of the best gift novelties for young and old. A selected stock that will make a distinct appeal, because it offers unusual things.

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Pay for Your Machine on Easy Terms

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We carry full assortments of the newest Columbia records —which may be played on any make of machine.

You may have any machine or record demonstrated in one of our sound-proof try-out rooms.

We carry all models; which shall it be?

BILL FOR FURS GETS INTO COURT

Following the drawing of a jury to hear the suit of Barnett Frank against Harris Hurewitz in supreme court this morning, Justice William P. Rudd excused all other jurors until next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, there being no other cases ready for trial this week.

Frank is a ladies' tailor of this city and the defendant is a dealer in cloth, fabrics, etc., which he supplies to the tailoring trade. From July to December, 1912, the plaintiff was in partnership with R. Fidler in tailoring on North Front street, but is now located on Broadway. In the summer of 1912 Frank came into possession of a Persian lamb coat, a mink coat and nine sets of ladies' furs on a business transaction of his own, according to a statement of William D. Cunningham, of Cunningham & Traver, his attorneys. He had all his ready cash tied up in them and sought to dispose of them to Hurewitz, who is located in New York. It is alleged that the defendant agreed to buy the two coats for his wife for $200. The fur sets were to be sold for $100 each, the defendant keeping $25 each as his commission.

Frank on the stand said Hurewitz came to Kingston after the furs and that was the last he heard of them. He seeks $625 for them. Another transaction figures in the case. Frank said he purchased a quantity of blue serge to make garments for Kingston persons and gave the New Yorker a check for $62. He declared he did not receive the goods.

A. D. Van Buren, in his address to the jury, said:

"We claim we do not owe Frank a penny. If ever there was a deal pulled off between two Hebrew gentlemen, this is one of the most skillfull and adroit actions ever worked up."

Mr. Van Buren said the defendant was not and is not in the fur business and took the furs from Frank as an accommodation. He said that at the time the plaintiff owed Hurewitz $200, but nevertheless the defendant gave Frank a check for $200 to go on the two coats for his wife.

Frank denied that he personally was indebted to the defendant. He admitted the firm was in Hurewitz's debt but said the account was subsequently squared up. Frank made a number of trips to New York to get his money for the furs, he testified. The last visit he paid to the defendant's office he lost his temper and the two talked hotly and rapidly. Finally, said Frank, the defendant declared: "I never got any furs from you at all. If you do not get out, I'll lick you."

Beatrice Gets Another Letter.

Here's one more communication which reached Beatrice Battleax just in time for the Butterfly Ball tonight. Her answer may relieve others who are in the same predicament. No need to miss the ball.

December 8th.

My Dear Miss Battleax:—

I have been recently married and my wife is a very modest young woman with a very keen sense of the proprieties. Will you be kind enough to inform me through your column in The Freeman if there will be anything embarrassing to her in the dances to be given at the Butterfly Ball? In other words, will there be any dances such as Sahara Jelly does at the Winter Garden?

Yours truly,

A. NEWLYWED.

You may safely bring her—all the Sunday school teachers will be there.

B. B.

Disperse Immediately.

When a dollar is once broken it is a waste of time looking around for the pieces.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

LADY EGLANTINE — © INTL. FILM SERVICE

PRIZE HEN HAS OWN ROOM IN NEW YORK HOTEL.

Lady Eglantine registering under the admiring eyes of a woman guest at the hotel. Her manager and personal attendant Frederick Stoneburn is at the left.

New York, Dec. 9.—Many stories have been told of toy dogs being given every possible luxury, but Lady Eglantine, the $100,000 prize white Leghorn hen, is probably the only chicken who is accorded honors equal with those of the most temperamental prima donna.

Lady Eglantine has her own room and a private bath at one of the leading Broadway hotels during her stay in New York. She is being exhibited at the Palace Poultry show at the Grand Central Palace.

The snow white fowl is the most expensive chicken in the world. Her value comes largely from the fact that she is the world's record holder for egg laying. Lady Eglantine layed 314 eggs in 365 days.

SEEKS SAKE CONDUCT FOR TWO GERMANS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Negotiations have been started to obtain safe conduct for the return to Germany of Captains Boy-Ed and Von Papen, whose recall has been demanded by this government. British Ambassador Spring-Rice held a long conference with Secretary Lansing. No information could be obtained afterwards as to whether Great Britain will permit the officers to return to their country. Ambassador von Bernstorff disappeared from the German embassy today. It was reported that he had gone to New York.

Newburgh is Easier.

"Gus Berman," who recently visited Kingston and organized a local branch of "The Pall Guys' Association," from here went to Newburgh where he organized another branch and enrolled 200 in his "suit club" plan of securing a new suit for the holidays. In Kingston "Berman" found about fifty easy marks who parted with from 75 cents to $1. The full story of how "Gus" worked the uptown residents of this city was related in The Freeman a few days ago.

OSCAR STRAUS SUCCEEDS M'CALL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, Dec. 9.—Governor Whitman has announced that Oscar Straus has accepted the appointment as chairman of the First District Public Service Commission in place of Edward E. McCall, removed. This appointment is a recess one. Mr. Straus will act as chairman until the legislature meets, when the senate will either confirm or reject the nomination.

Burglars at Rhinecliff.

Burglars on Wednesday entered the home of Superintendent Pinkham of Ferncliff, Vincent Astor's estate at Rhinecliff. Jewelry and furs worth several hundred dollars were stolen. A roundup of tramps is being made. Vincent Astor is a deputy sheriff of Dutchess county.

Prudential Office Robbed.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Three armed masked men held up the employes of the West Side Branch of the Prudential Life Insurance Company today and escaped with $7,000 after tieing up the janitor and two girl employes, one of whom was the cashier.

SIX CASES PLACED ON DAY CALENDAR

Following the closing of testimony in the case of Frank against Hurewitz in supreme court this afternoon, adjournment was taken until next Monday afternoon. The following cases were placed on the day calendar: Secondo Cascelli against James O. Winston et al., alleged negligence; Fred T. Lewis vs. Anna L. O'Neil and another, alleged negligence; Michael Goffredo vs. J. O. Winston, et al., alleged negligence. Ernest Leudecke vs. Edwin R. Hearn, for assault; L. Heyman and another vs. William K. Leech, action for goods sold and delivered; Gordon A. Holmes and another vs. George W. Palmer.

The action of John Demetriou as administrator against Winston & Co., to recover damages for alleged negligence, has gone over the term, so also has the action of Henry Boice against John D. Van Kleeck, an action for goods sold and delivered.

In the suit of R. B. Overbaugh against Ernest Mower and another, to foreclose on a mechanic's lien, an inquest will be taken.

In the case of Robert A. Smith against Frederick W. Schroeder a stay has been granted pending an appeal in connection with a motion to amend the complaint.

Corporation Elections Held.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ulster & Delaware Railroad Company was held on Tuesday when the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Horace G. Young, George I. Wilber, Thomas C. Coykendall, Frederick Coykendall, C. S. Sims, Frank Coykendall, Edward Coykendall, Peter E. Schoonmaker, Harry H. Flemming. Inspectors of election were Hermon T. Wood and Cornelius J. Heitzman.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hudson River Bluestone Company was held on Wednesday. Directors elected for the ensuing year were Frank Coykendall, Frederick Coykendall, Edward Coykendall, Thomas C. Coykendall, and Harry H. Flemming. Inspectors of election were Hermon T. Wood and Cornelius J. Heitzman.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wallkill Valley Railroad Company was held in this city on Thursday. The following directors and inspectors of election were elected for the ensuing year: Directors, William K. Vanderbilt, Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, William H. Newman, Harold S. Vanderbilt, William Rockefeller, Marvin Hughitt, Alfred H. Smith, Robert S. Lovett, Ira A. Place, John Carstensen, George F. Baker, William K. Vanderbilt, Jr. Inspectors of next election: Edward F. Stephenson, Harry W. Burham, G. N. Wood.

HURLEY.

Hurley, Dec. 9.—A genuine surprise party was given last week to Mr. and Mrs. Malen Hotaling; an opportunity was thus afforded to the friends and neighbors to meet the newly married couple. There was quite a large number present, making the evening a most enjoyable and social affair for all. During the evening delicious refreshments were served and highly appreciated.

On Friday of last week Miss Humphrey and Miss Williams of the New Paltz Normal School made their second visit to our school, showing most acceptably some of the later approved methods in the teaching of school children. The scholars entered most heartily into every feature presented. The young women are certainly to be praised for the successful manner in handling the subjects while the work is certainly beneficial to all concerned. Miss Burnett, the district superintendent, was also present during the afternoon session and was well pleased with the work shown by the young women and the responsiveness of the scholars.

The Christmas exercises at the school will take place on Friday morning, December 24. The public is most cordially invited to be present. A fine program is assured.

Domine Durfee, Charles DuMond and Charles Snyder were present at the Prohibition meeting at Dr. Sahler's Sanitarium on Tuesday last. They enjoyed the meeting very much, especially the address of Mr. Schuhle.

The program for the Christmas entertainment at the church for Friday evening, December 24, is all made out and will be an interesting one for everybody.

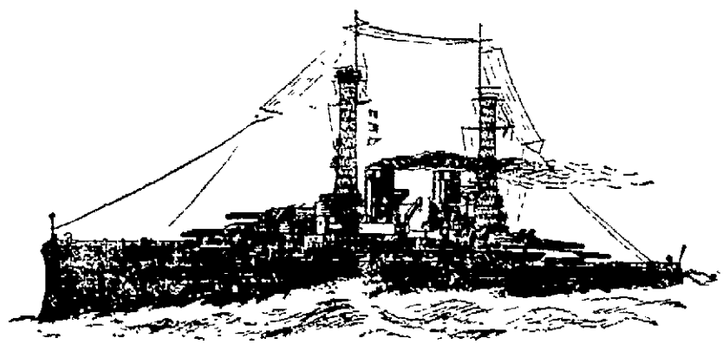
Charles DuMond had a birthday on Thursday. He knows it for sure as many of his relatives and friends surprised him with it on Wednesday night. There were about thirty-five people in all and the affair had been so well managed that he did not surmise that his 75th year had come until the party burst in upon him. They sang and they danced; they told stories and listened to fine violin and piano music to the heart's content and altogether had a royal time. The luncheon was all that could be desired and made a fine ending to it all.

Where the Fault Lay.

"Pardon me," said the drummer, "but somehow your courthouse looks to be in the wrong place?" "Nope!" replied the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "What makes it look so is that the town is in the wrong place to make the courthouse look in the right place."—Kansas City Star.

Daily Thought.

Sweet language will multiply friends, and a fair-speaking tongue will increase kind greetings.—Ecclesiasticus.



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Boys' Gloves
Boys' Pajamas,
Boys' Sweaters,
Boys' Caps,
House Coats,
Bath Robes,
Pajamas,
Night Robes,
Sweaters,
Fancy Vests,
Umbrellas,
Suit Cases,
Traveling Bags,
Dress Shirts,
Fancy Shirts,
Flannel Shirts,
Collars and Cuffs,
Hats and Caps,
Hosiery, Lisle and Silk,
Linen Handkerchiefs,
Silk Handkerchiefs,
Children's Toques,
Cuff Links and Tie Pins,
Fancy Suspenders,
Fur Lined Gloves,
Fancy Arm Bands,
Fur and Plush Caps,
Fownes' Gloves,
Phoenix Mufflers,
Fur Lined Coats,
Plush Lined Coats,
Full Dress Suits,
Prince Albert Suits,
Silk Mufflers,
Fancy Arm Bands,
Boys' Mackinaws,
Men's Mackinaws,
Boys' Raincoats,
Boys' Rubber Coats,
Men's Raincoats,
Men's Rubber Coats,
Boys' Rain Hats,
Men's Rain Hats,
Boys' Union Suits,
Men's Union Suits,
Hanson's Gloves,
Boys' Wash Suits,
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Boys' Kasco Suspenders,
Boys' Leggings,
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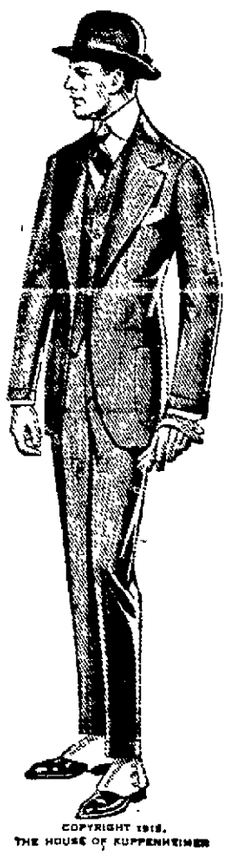

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Ivory Puff Boxes...39c to $1.00
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Silk Waists as a Gift

Fine lace waists, silk underlined, trimmed in satin and crepe de chene. Prices from ..... $5.50 to $12.00

Embroidered Georgette Crepe—flesh and white, very dainty.. $5.50 to $7.50

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Novelty Waists of Crepe de Chene Roman striped, plain tailored, $3.50

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What is more appropriate as a gift?
Silk Hose in fancy weaves..$2.50
Silk Hose in clocking colors and white.... ....$1.50
Silk Hose, plain colors....$1.50 McCallem made.
Silk Hose, black and white $1.50
Silk Hose, colors and white $1.00
Silk Hose, all the way silk, black and white $1.00
Silk Boot Hose, colors and white 50c

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One lot of fine Bath Robes, light and dark colors, small, medium and large, extra value ..$2.98
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Fine knitted and crochetted bedroom slippers.
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Knitted Jackets

Beautifully knitted jackets in plain and two tone effects, sleeves and sleeveless, just the article for the mornings in the house ....$1.50 to $3.50

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Owing to the death of Mr. William Benson the store will be closed Saturday afternoon from 1 o'clock to 3.

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SEA GULLS GIVE WARNING OF SNOW

When They Fly Over Rondout Creek It Is Sure Indication of Storm—Birds Roost on Waters.

"When you see the sea gulls flying over the Rondout creek you may be certain that it is an indication of winter weather," said a boatman on Tuesday, and sure enough when the citizens of Kingston arose Wednesday morning it was to find the ground covered by a white blanket of snow that had fallen during the night. The snow started falling about 4 o'clock in the morning and continued steadily until shortly before noon and fell in sufficient quantities to make it necessary to clear off the sidewalks.. The first real snow of the season was gladly welcomed by the "kiddies" and early in the morning they were busy hunting in garrets, cellars and woodsheds for the sleds that had been stored away at the close of last winter.

During the night a slight skim of ice formed on the Rondout creek between the Wilbur bridge and Eddyville, according to Captain Chester Wells of the tug Earle. This is the first time that ice has formed on the creek this season, although along in some of the coves slight skims of ice have formed within the past few days Along the coves on the upper Hudson ice has formed of sufficient thickness to be used for skating. It is also reported that the ice on Devil's Lake is of sufficient thickness to bear the weight of a person.

According to an old riverman when sea gulls are seen in this vicinity it is a sure indication that a heavy wind storm is in progress down in New York harbor, but of late years the sea gulls do not wait for heavy storms to drive them north. The sea gull flying presents a pretty sight along the creek, and especially so when it is closely followed by a crow, the white plumage of the gull contrasting with the black garb of the crow. The sea gull, as it is well known, is web-footed and unlike other birds does not roost in the trees along the shore but at night settles down upon the waters of the river or creek and sleeps. Cases have been known of gulls while asleep floating on the river, to be frozen fast by the ice forming during a cold snap.

LANESVILLE.

Lanesville, Dec. 9.—H. D. and H. S. Lane, also Thomas Jansen were Phoenicia callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kreiger and Miss Reis of Kingston called on friends here last week.

Mrs. H. K. Robinson, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving.

Renwick Dibble of Tannersville was a business caller here recently.

Miss Addie Short and Miss Esther Barber are visiting friends and relatives in Ideal Park.

Skating was enjoyed on the Lanesville Lake by several of our young people Tuesday afternoon How about it Earl?

Miss Katie Smith, who has been very ill for a long time, is improving slowly.

H. D. Lane has purchased a "Flivver."

Mr. and Mrs. George Ruoff, also the Misses Addie Jansen and Elsie Lane spent Friday evening last with Mr and Mrs C. Harrington.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. D. Curtis on Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. George Lindsley, also Mrs. Della Tremper and Mrs. H. S. Lane were Kingston callers Tuesday

A chicken pie supper will be held at the Lanesville House on Friday evening, December 10, for the benefit of the church.

THE VLY.

The Vly, Dec. 9.—Christmas exercises will be held at the church on the evening of December 23. The program, entitled "The Prince of Bethlehem," promises to be a fine one. The exercises will consist of songs by the school, recitations, dialogues, solos and duets. There will be a tree for the Sunday school and Santa will be present to liven it all. After the close of the exercises a bountiful supper will be served in the hall. All come and enjoy this Christmas time with us.

Winter Camp at Peekskill.

Attorney General Stotesbury and Major General O'Ryan have arranged for a week end winter camp service at Peekskill. Many members of the National Guard are anxious to experience the rigors of military service during the winter months. It is planned to construct a winter barracks at Peekskill to be built of logs cut by members of the guard while camping there.

Coal Scarcity Impending.

The Coal Trade Journal says that current developments in the anthracite trade clearly foreshadow an extremely tight situation by the end of the year, or soon after, with anything like normal winter weather. The point has already been reached where the producing interests have all the business they can handle on most sizes.

Attend Waterway Convention.

A lively party of Albanians left Tuesday night on the Hudson Navigation Company's steamboat Rensselaer for Washington to attend the twelfth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

Sulzer in Field Again.

William Sulzer may make another try for the governor's chair next fall and William S. Snyder of East Syracuse is touring the state organizing clubs to further the candidacy of "Plain Bill."

Ruth Crabtree Recovers.

Ruth Crabtree, the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Crabtree, who was operated on for appendicitis in St. Luke's Hospital in Newburgh, has recovered.

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Union Sta., †11.35 a. m., s5:30, †7:25 p. m.
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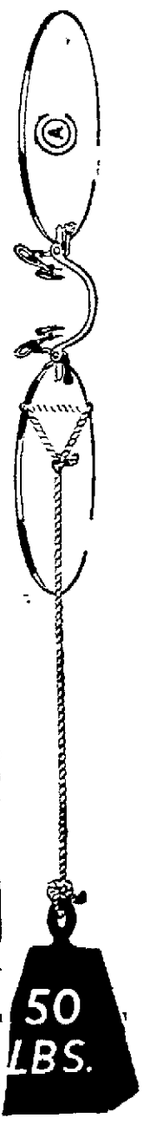

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against Frank E. Eastman, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at his office, No. 56 Second street, in the city of Newburgh, N. Y., on or before the 10th day of May, 1916.

Dated November 9th, 1915.
WILLIAM H. HANDMAN.
D. W. Roosa, Attorney, 56 Second street, Newburgh, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against William Leverich, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the Executor of the estate of said deceased, at No. 69 Clinton Avenue, in the said City of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 22nd day of May, 1916.

Dated November 18th, 1915.
IRVING J. ROSE,
Executor.
DEWITT ROOSA, Attorney,
Kingston, N. Y.

WHEREAS default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage bearing date May 30, 1910, made and executed by Herbert J. Tinsley and Grace I. Tinsley, his wife, as mortgagors of the town of Rochester, Ulster county, New York, to Daniel Schoonmaker as mortgagee of the town of Rochester, Ulster county, New York, which mortgage was given as collateral security for the payment of the sum of $500 in one year from date with interest thereon payable semi-annually at the rate of six per cent per annum and which mortgage was duly recorded in Ulster county clerk's office in book of mortgages 235 page 482 June 13, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon and no suit or proceeding having been begun by statute or law to recover the sum secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

WHEREAS the amount claimed to be due on the said mortgage at the time of the first publication of this notice is $500 and interest from May 6, 1914, making the total amount due at the time of the first publication $542.50.

NOW therefore notice is hereby given according to the statute in such case made and provided and by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage duly recorded therewith as aforesaid that the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises herein described by the subscriber at public auction on the 3rd day of January, 1916, at twelve o'clock noon of that day at the front door of the court house in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, New York. The premises to be sold consist of the mortgaged premises so described as aforesaid to be sold as they are contained in the mortgage. ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situate in the town of Rochester, at a place called Alligerville and being a portion of the same premises conveyed by Harvey B. DeWitt and wife to Daniel Schoonmaker by deed dated April 1, 1887, and recorded in Ulster county clerk's office in book of deeds No. 289 page 513, April 4, 1887, and which portion hereby conveyed is bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the center of the highway leading from Alligerville to High Falls on the bounds of lands of Sarah M. Davis and from said point or place of beginning running southerly along the bounds of said Sarah M. Davis forty-six feet more or less to the line of lands of Simon J. Roosa to an iron driven in the ground and which line if continued to the brick dwelling house erected by George Harnden now deceased on the farm now owned by Simon J. Roosa would strike the north corner of the main building thence south fifty-three degrees fifteen minutes west eight chains ninety-five links to the center of the public highway leading from Alligerville to New Paltz thence along the same north eighty degrees twenty minutes west two chains seven links and south eighty seven degrees twenty-five minutes west one chain to the junction of the center of said highway with the center of the public highway leading from Alligerville to High Falls then along the center of said highway northeasterly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated October 6th, 1915.
DANIEL SCHOONMAKER,
Mortgagee.
V. B. VAN WAGONEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
22 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Elizabeth Phillips, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Oscar L. Eastman and Kate Eastman, the executors of the estate of said deceased, at their residence, No. 95 West Pierpont street, in the said city of Kingston, on or before the sixth day of March, 1916.

Dated, September 2, 1915.
OSCAR L. EASTMAN,
KATE EASTMAN,
Executors.
Arthur C. Connelly, Attorney, 300 Wall street, Kingston, N. Y.

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WHITE SEEKS BATTLE

Claims First Chance to Fight Welsh for Championship.

Victory Over Saylor Most Decisive Since Entering Ring—Eastern Fans Are Willing to Back Him Against English Champion.

Charley White fastened his right to the claim to be the first boxer to meet Freddie Welsh for the lightweight championship over the 20-round route when in less than two minutes of the first round he knocked out Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis before 6,000 fans at the Atlas A. A. show at Boston.

This was one of White's most decisive victories since he entered the ring and stamps him as the logical man to combat Welsh for the lightweight wreath. Heaps of credit is due the Chicago 133 pounder, because Saylor is regarded as one of the best men of the division. The quick manner in which he was floored was a big surprise to the fans, but a bigger disappointment to Saylor, who had hoped to give White a hard battle and remain in the running for the first opportunity to meet the lightweight champion.

White is now the idol of eastern and western fans who think that he is a better man than Welsh and are willing

Charley White.

to back him against the Englishman. They have seen him score six decisive knockouts in less than six months and regard it as remarkable as well as unequaled. They say White is the best looking 133-pounder they have seen in years, and that if he does not triumph over Welsh they will be disappointed. They have seen White stop Gilbert Gallant in five rounds, Charlie Thomas in six rounds, Freddie Yelle in five rounds, Matty Baldwin in one round and Eddie Murphy in seven rounds.

MEYERS PLAYS WINTER BALL

Big Catcher Has Played With San Diego for Past Five Years—Been at His Best During Summer.

To "Chief" Meyers must be given the credit as one ball player who does not get "stale." Meyers has played winter ball with San Diego for the last five years and has been at his best with the New York Giants during the summer season.

Most players who indulge in the off season sport are inclined to slow up during the end of the regular season. But it is different with "Chief," for he goes plugging along at his same gait.

"Chief" will catch for the San Diego club in the Southern California Winter league this winter. He will also take one of McGraw's hurlers

"Chief" Meyers.

with him to strengthen the team. Last year he induced Jeff Tesreau to go to the coast and the big hurler won the winter championship for San Diego.

Some scribes in the East say that Meyers is due for the "blue slip," but watch the "Chief" next spring. He will be back there working regularly behind the bat for the Giants.

Catcher Whaling Balks.

Catcher Bert Whaling, transferred by the Boston National club along with outfielder Moran to the Pacific Coast league has refused to report to the Coast, says he will not go there under any circumstances and that he will probably consider one of the offers of the Federal league.

Immense Chestnut Tree.

The largest Spanish chestnut tree in the world grows in a forest on the slopes of Mount Etna. It is said that a hundred soldiers and their horses once found shelter beneath it.

Advertisement.

SANTA CLAUS AT WILLIAM O'REILLY'S

Bright and Cherry With Appropriate Yuletide Gift Things—Brief Record of a Man Who Began Life as a Newsboy.

(By The Freeman's Xmas Writer.)

Those Kingstonians who have patronized the store of William O'Reilly at 530 Broadway year in and year out, and who have helped to build up here one of the best stores of its kind along the Hudson, know why they have done so, and they will need no urging during this joyous Christmas season to bring them to that store for the Yuletide gifts they may wish to select.

Mr. O'Reilly's store is abounding in articles suggestive of the care he has taken to meet patrons' demands for Christmas gifts that men and boys, and women and girls, too, will receive with grateful appreciation.

To supply the wants of all, relieve anxieties and maintain people's confidence, Mr. O'Reilly has mobilized a most bountiful stock of givable things—gifts for everybody—the useful with the beautiful—the practical with the ornamental. No former Yuletide display here was ever so rich with the Christmas spirit of presents.

Each day, each hour, each moment finds the generous mind made up for something to get for a gift. Each day sees thousands planning and preparing to get things that will prove most satisfactory. If it's for father, husband, brother or a gentleman friend, O'Reilly's store stands

WILLIAM O'REILLY

ready with appropriate presents that will gladden the heart of any man. And if it's for a member of the gentler sex, Mr. O'Reilly is equally well prepared.

Here are comprehensive lines of leather goods—women's pretty handbags, music rolls, men's purses, pocketbooks, bill books, etc., cameras and photo supplies; Christmas stationery, including Dennison's fine crepe and tissue writing papers; Christmas booklets, post cards, gift cards and correspondence cards; fancy holiday calendars; Waterman's "Ideal" fountain pens; also Wirts's and Schaefer's high grade fountain pens; latest popular sheet music; books for boys and girls; books for adults; books of fiction, travel, history, business and education; Catholic prayer books and rosaries and all kinds of church goods; Protestant Bibles, Testaments and books for nearly all religious denominations. The list of all the things to be obtained here is too long for enumeration.

William O'Reilly began business at his present stand 22 years ago, succeeding his brother, Charles H. O'Reilly. He laid the foundation of his education as a merchant when he started active life as a newsboy. He was always known as a "hustler" and this characteristic is true of him today. Courtesy, level-headness and a reputation for undeviating honesty, made him the successful merchant he is known to be now. He is opposed to flattery in the newspapers, but the writer of this article could not resist the temptation to indite a few words of praise where praise is honestly due.

Amazing Grace.

"When Sistah Grace Waddles come th'oo at de revival," related Aunt Miasma Waters, "she riz up and shouted dat de devil had her by de feet tryin' to haul her down into de pit, but, hallelooyer, a bright angel done had her by de hair o' de head uh-draggin her to glory!"—Kansas City Star.

Jewelry Specials for Christmas

Now is your chance to make this Xmas the happiest one by buying appropriate gifts at very reasonable prices. This is the store where you can find what you desire, and at the same time save money on all purchases

Solid Gold Lavallieres and Chain set with diamonds at $7.50.

Watch Bracelets from $4.50 up.

Solid Gold Stick Pins from $1.25 up.

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Come early so we can give you the best attention.

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Just as all the world loves a lover so does all the theatre-going world love a melodrama. London's Drury Lane Theatre has been the home of melodramas for more than half a century. And no melodrama ever presented upon its famous stage has equalled the enormous success scored by "The Great Ruby.

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FIRST PICTURES OF ANCONA SURVIVORS IN ITALY.

The large panel shows the crew of the Italian liner Ancona, which was torpedoed and sunk by an Austrian or German submarine in the Mediterranean, getting their first food after landing with a few of the survivors in a small Italian port. The members of the crew worked for several hours rescuing people from the sea.

At the left is an insert of Capt. Pietro Massardo, commander of the vessel, while at the right is an insert of Chief Engineer Carlo Lomberti, who rescued Dr. Cecile Greel, the American physician.

A Little Chat About "Central"

THE girl at "Central" is the most talked to girl in the community. She has a speaking acquaintance with hundreds of people who wouldn't know her if they saw her. And yet how little we really know about the sweet-voiced miss who greets us with such unexceptional courtesy from over the wire.

The telephone operator is chosen for her clearness of voice, her courtesy and for her intelligence. These qualities enable her to do her part in furnishing the highest grade of telephone service. It takes two people, however, to make a telephone call—you and the operator. You'll be doing your part as well as she does hers, if you'll observe these four simple rules when you make a telephone call:

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2. Talk directly and distinctly into the transmitter.
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Look. Don't forget that every child attending our Saturday Matinee receives a bag of candy free.

Even the Rich Can Afford Flats.

Even persons of enormous wealth can afford flats, for they now run as high as $20,000 a year; perfectly good places to rough it in during the hardship of wartime in which their Mediterranean cruises are to be sacrificed.—Jesse Lynch Williams, in Scribner's Magazine.

Cheerfulness Above Levity.

Between levity and cheerfulness there is a wide distinction: the mind that is most open to the former is frequently a stranger to the latter. Levity may be the offspring of folly or vice; cheerfulness is the natural offspring of wisdom and virtue.—Blair.

Coal Oil Good.

Coal oil is recommended as an excellent cleaning agent. One woman uses a rag moistened with coal oil to clean her stained wood floors, to clean woodwork, porcelain bathtub and stand and also to polish the wall behind the kitchen range.

Christmas Gifts

—IN—

Slippers, Gloves, Caps, Patent Leather Shoes, Felt Slippers, Indian Moccasins for Men, Ladies, Misses and Children. Shoe Ties, Automobile Caps, Automobile Mittens and Gloves. Overgaiters, Arctics, High Top Shoes, High Top Arctics, Etc.

Our line is very complete and we are offering exceptional large lines for Christmas gifts. We will be glad to show you or explain any of the gifts offered. We will guarantee our prices lowest, quality considered.

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From 25c to $3.00

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$1.15 to $6 Pair

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Presents
BETTY NANSEN
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Should a Mother Tell

Tomorrow, "The Better Woman"

Suitable Christmas Gifts!

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Boys' and Girls' High Top Shoes and Arctics, High Top Rubber Boots, Gloves, Mittens, Warm Caps

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OPEN EVENINGS

ONE INDICTMENT BY GRAND JURY

Young Newkirk to Answer Charge of Stealing Horse—No True Bills Against Cohen, Elmendorf, Weisburger and Minnie Mae Brighton.

The only indictment returned by the grand jury at the December term of the supreme court, when it reported to Justice William P. Rudd, soon after noon today, was that against Charles Newkirk, a youth of 17 years. He is accused of having stolen a gray horse and spring wagon belonging to Daniel Smiley of Lake Mohonk, on November 21 last. The indictment charges larceny in the second degree. The case was sent to county court and N. H. Fessenden was assigned to defend the boy, who is said to be a mental defective and in all probability will be committed to a state correctional institution. Witnesses who appeared before the grand jury were Jesse Robinson, George J. Young, Frank Smith, Seth Jocelyn, Fred Harting, Fred Cameron and Isaac Hadden.

No true bills were found against Max Cohen and George B. Elmendorf, accused of having violated the liquor tax law in the town of Gardiner; Minnie Mae Brighton of Ellenville, accused of bigamy; and Benjamin Weisburger, charged with assault in the second degree. Weisburger was arrested on October 23 by Chief of Police Wood on complaint of Elizabeth Griffin and was held for the grand jury by Recorder Lang.

Mrs. Brighton was arrested early in November on a charge of having two husbands, the complaint having been made by William S. Delancey, whom she is alleged to have married under the assumed name of Maria Groves on October 16, 1913. Mrs. Brighton was a member of the Groat family. She became the bride of Edward Fred Brighton in the town of Mount Hope, Orange county, on May 27, 1911. The woman says Brighton abused her and she had to leave him. Locating in Ellenville, she got a letter from a friend saying Brighton was dead, and on this report, which proved untrue, she married Delancey. Mrs. Brighton was held for the grand jury by Justice of the Peace U. G. Brundage, of the town of Wawarsing.

Newkirk Looks Very Young.

The indicted youth Newkirk looks much younger than his 17 years. He had an innocent look as he sat within the bar awaiting to be arraigned. Asked by Justice Rudd if he had any lawyer, the boy replied that "Will Atkins" represented him. Mr. Atkins, it developed, is a justice of the peace. The court then assigned Mr. Fessenden to defend the prisoner, who is the only one in the county jail awaiting trial.

When Under Sheriff Scott D. Hornbeck went after Newkirk following his arrest in the town of New Paltz was so deceived by the boy's looks that he regarded him too young to be placed in jail and made inquiries regarding the matter. He soon learned that Newkirk was much older than he appeared. He is declared to be a "bad one."

Church Fair at Accord.

The Country Woman's Club of the Accord M. E. Church will hold their fair in the church hall Wednesday and Thursday evenings, December 15 and 16. A chicken supper will be served Wednesday evening from 5:30 o'clock at 25 cents. Fancy articles and home made candy will be on sale, and on Thursday evening ice cream and cake will be on sale. The play, "Out in the Streets," will be given each night. Characters: Colonel Wayne, irascible old gentleman, C. H. Gillespie; Solomon Davis, a plausible rascal, Myron Coddington; Matt Davis, his dissolute son, Stanley Coddington; Dr. Midfield, Nina's lover, Harry Gazlay; Pete, Col. W.'s saucy darkey, Ross Coddington; policeman, one of the finest, John Bush; Mrs. Wayne, the colonel's wife, Miss Georgia Divine; Nina Wayne, their daughter, Miss May Osterhoudt.

ROCK HILL.

Rock Hill, Dec. 9.—Fred Lawrence is doing carpenter work for Perry Coddington in St. Josen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Rosa made a business trip to High Falls on Monday.

Miss Kittie Conner spent Monday in Kingston.

Mrs. Lashner of New York city has been spending a few days with friends here.

Egbert Elmendorf of Stone Ridge was in this place on Monday.

Mrs. William Brown of St. Josen spent Tuesday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sheres have returned home after spending the summer at Lake Mohonk.

Jacob Feinberg has returned to New York city after spending a couple of weeks with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Rosen have gone to New York for the winter.

A Rabelais Hoax.

Rabelais, being out of money, once tricked the police into taking him from Marseilles to Paris on a charge of treason. He made up some packages of brick dust and labeled them "Poison for the royal family." The officers took Rabelais 700 miles, only to be told at the end of their journey that it was April 1 and the affair was a hoax. Of course, as Rabelais was the privileged wit of the royal family, he was forgiven.

An Old Proverb.

The familiar proverb "Fine feathers make fine birds" has been traced away back to the time of the pyramid builders. It is found in hieroglyphics as early as the reign of King Cheops. It has also been found in very early Chinese documents. It is almost as old as the human race.—New York American.

Queen Ants That Lived Long.

Queen ants have been known to live fifteen years.

LOUIS J. SMITH.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AFTER BOMB PLOTTERS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Louis J. Smith, alias "Walter Brown," who broke down under cross examination of the Federal agents at San Francisco and made a full confession of his part in the sensational bomb plots directed against munition ships for the Allies sailing from Pacific coast ports. He was the chief lieutenant, according to the confession of Charles G. Crowley, former private detective and supposed to be the ring-leader of the plotters.

TABASCO.

Tabasco, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Markle left for Bermuda on Monday, where they have employment for the winter.

Miss B. Reiners spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Ellenville.

William Krom and family returned home on Saturday after visiting at H. Krom's the past week.

Joseph Van Vliet and wife, also Celia Hinkley, spent Sunday at Joseph Gray's at Pataukunk.

Morris Rodberg has purchased a new horse.

Basil and Vaughn Decker have returned home from Rhinebeck.

John Mertine is employed at Harry Berger's.

Mrs. Jerry D. Van Kleeck and little son, Leonard D., are visiting with friends in this place.

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For Two Days Only

The biggest bargains ever offered to the ladies of Kingston

All our Trimmed Hats, worth up $4.98

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Look at the display of Dolls' Hats in our window. We are giving them away free with each purchase of a Trimmed Hat.

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A crystal glass humidor jar containing one pound of Tuxedo, the mildest, most fragrant tobacco. At every store where tobacco products are sold.

Last Christmas more Jars of Tuxedo were given to men throughout the United States than any other single trade-marked article!

Because Americans are learning to make suitable gifts at Christmas time—and learning that Tuxedo is the best gift of all for a *man*.

Tuxedo is the mildest, pleasantest pipe tobacco in the world—made absolutely non-biting and delightfully mellow by the original "Tuxedo Process" that has never been successfully imitated.

This Tuxedo Christmas Humidor Jar is beautifully decorated with holly, ribbon and Christmas card, and packed in a handsome carton, for sending by mail or messenger; price complete - - **90c**

Last Christmas the demand for Tuxedo humidor jars was so great that the supply of many dealers was exhausted, and thousands of people were disappointed. The safe plan is to place your order with your dealer *now*. He will be glad to set your jar aside for you until Christmas.

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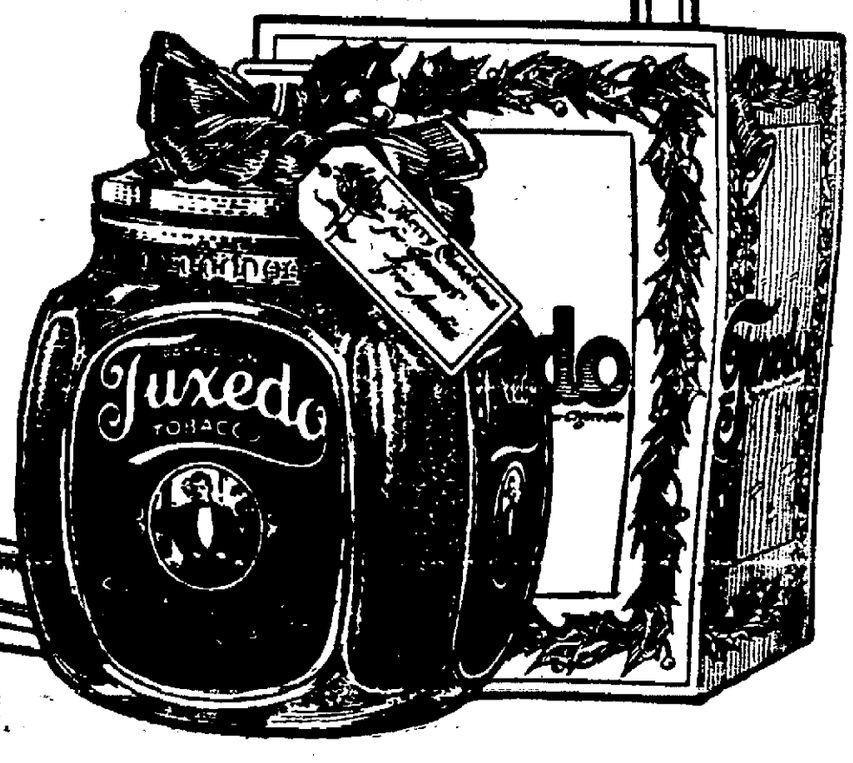

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In Glass Humidors, 50c and 90c
In Tin Humidors, 40c and 80c
In Curved Pocket Tin, 10c
In Moisture-Proof Pouch, 5c

WALKER RECOVERS AGAINST DECKER

Following an inquest in supreme court today in the case of Joseph Walker against Smith N. Decker, Justice William P. Rudd directed the jury to return a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $978. Walker, who is a prominent road contractor and lives in New Paltz, entered into a contract on March 13, 1914, with Decker for an exchange of lands. Walker conveyed to the defendant some land located at Mariner's Harbor, and Decker conveyed to the plaintiff four farms, with a total acreage of 425, situated in the towns of Coxsackie and Athens, Greene county.

Walker stated that with one of the farms were to go the furnishings in the house, the live stock and other personal property. When he went to take possession he found that Decker had removed the furniture and that the live stock belonged to one Bale, a farmer who had been in Decker's employ. The action was brought to recover for the goods removed.

Walker enumerated the personal property which he said he was entitled to this including some ham and bacon. "Decker took the bacon?" asked the attorney. "Yes," replied the witness.

A verdict for $129 in favor of the plaintiff was directed in the case of Philip A. Pasher, formerly a meat dealer in Wall street, against Mina Easland for goods sold and delivered in the year 1911. Eighty dollars had been paid on account.

BEARSVILLE

Bearsville, Dec. 9.—There will be a Christmas entertainment given by the Bearsville school in the M. E. Church Hall at Woodstock December 23.

Vera Shultis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Gladys Short of Wittenberg.

Mrs. Lewis Brower of Woodstock visited Mrs. Harford Reynolds on Friday last.

Mrs. Watson Riseley of Wittenberg spent Wednesday of last week with her mother, Mrs. Kate Guinack.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shultis have returned home after spending some time in Kerhonkson.

Mrs. Foster Shultis spent Wednesday afternoon with her daughter, Edythe, who is employed in Kingston.

Frank Shultis made a business trip to New York a few days the past week.

George Hicks of Cobleskill, who is canvassing through this place for enlarged photographs, spent Monday and Friday nights with William Shultis.

Lloyd Reynolds is doing carpenter work on the new house of Albert MacDaniel.

KYSERIKE.

Kyserike, Dec. 9.—On Saturday Hazel Delamater, Howard and Storrs Butler of Poughkeepsie spending a few hours with H. Ten Hagen.

James Davis has returned home after spending a few days with friends at Walden.

Mrs. Fred Abberley and two daughters of Poughkeepsie are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Asaph Quick at this place.

James O. Green and Fred D. Oakley visited Kingston on Tuesday.

Miss Mildred M. Green spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Maude K. Oakley.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Green spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matthew H. Roosa at Rose Hill.

There will be a short Christmas exercise for the children in the Longville school house on Thursday, Dec. 23 at 2 p. m. All who wish to attend will be very welcome.

Mrs. Granville Van Demark is spending some time in New York city with her daughter.

Claude Christiana enjoyed a sleigh ride on Wednesday afternoon.

Proof of Love.

"I am satisfied that young Spooner is desperately in love with my niece," stated the Old Codger. "He listened to my views on politics for nearly half an hour last night as if he really enjoyed hearing me."—Exchange.

MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

In the surrogate's court, Surrogate Gill has granted letters of administration on the estate of Ananias Mills of the town of Woodstock to his daughter, Viola Keller. The value of the estate is $400 personal property. James H. Reilly of Catskill appeared for the administratrix.

Letters of administration on the estate of William H. Wynkoop of the town of Saugerties were issued to his widow Mary E. Wynkoop. The value of the estate is $400 personal property. Byron L. Davis appeared for the administratrix.

A hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of Ellen Rist as administratrix of the estate of Charles L. Rist of the town of Wawarsing and a decree passing and approving the account was granted. District Attorney Cunningham appeared for the administratrix.

ALLIGERVILLE

Alligerville, Dec. 9.—A necktie party will be held in the M. E. parsonage on Wednesday evening, December 15.

A baptismal service will be conducted by the Rev. W. H. Seiple in the M. E. Church Sunday morning, December 12. All persons having children to be baptized are requested to bring them to the church at that time.

Mrs. Jennie Van Wagonen is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Terwilliger have gone to Ashokan.

Miss Jennie Young has returned from an extended visit at Briar Cliff and vicinity.

Jeremiah Young attended the funeral of J. E. Elmendorf at Kingston on Tuesday.

Misses Myron Dupuy and Virgil Bogart have exhanged residences.

Mrs. George W. Garrison and Mrs. W. H. Seiple spent Wednesday in Kingston.

F. W. Warren and wife and V. B. Cross and wife attended the play at Kingston opera house on Friday and Monday evenings.

Rev. E. O. Schwitters will preach his farewell sermon Sunday evening, December 12.

ACCORD

Accord, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Voight of Newburgh called on H. L. Devoe and family Monday. Mrs. H. L. Devoe accompanied them on their return to Newburgh.

Mrs. Sarah J. Devoe is improving somewhat.

H. L. Devoe is installing machinery to screen and bag lime.

Luther Van Vliet had the misfortune to break the axle of his wagon Monday while drawing straw.

The Misses Rose and Georgia Baird have returned home from their visit to Catskill, N. Y.

Mrs. Maria Myers is visiting with friends at High Falls.

About 3 inches of snow fell Wednesday. H. E. Schoonmaker was the first one to have his sleigh out.

Miss Edna Baker is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Gazlay have returned from their trip and are spending a few days in town.

The Rev. Mr. Frost was in Kingston Tuesday.

STONE RIDGE

Stone Ridge, Dec. 9.—The Christian Endeavor Christmas sale and entertainment, held on Tuesday evening, was largely attended, and all report a good time.

Jesse Markle has moved his family to Amsterdam, where he has secured employment.

A Christmas Service of Song and Story" will be given in the Reformed Church on Sunday evening, December 26.

Mrs. M. V. Townsend of Poughkeepsie has been spending a few days with Mrs. George Brink.

There will be service in the Reformed Church on Sunday. The Rev. James Hoffman will occupy the pulpit.

Selfish.

According to a modern writer, every wife needs her share of diversion. And a few wives seem determined to get all of it.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

LIVE STOCK HUSBANDRY

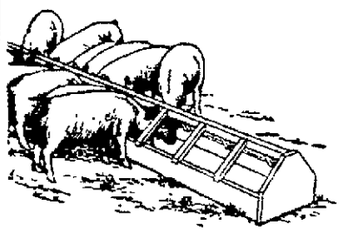
WEANING YOUNG PIGS.

Easily Constructed Trough Used on Government Experimental Farm.

(Prepared by United States department of agriculture.)

Young pigs, just after they are taken away from their dam, should be given their feed in such a manner that each individual pig gets its share. The simplest way to accomplish this is to allow the pigs to eat from a properly constructed feed trough one that will keep the pigs out of the feed and will lessen the possibility of crowding.

The weaning trough shown in the accompanying illustration is used with good results on the government experimental farm at Beltsville, Md. This trough is large enough to hold a quantity of slop sufficient to feed twenty weanling pigs weighing approximately thirty-five pounds. It is only three inches deep, thus enabling the pigs to get at their feed very conveniently. The construction of the ridgepole together with the partition pieces makes it impossible for the pigs to get into the trough with their feet. It is a very simple matter to



WEANING TROUGH FOR PIGS

keep the trough clean, as there is plenty of room for one to work conveniently with a scrubbing brush on the inside of the trough. Water applied freely, together with a vigorous scrubbing, will keep the trough clean and sanitary. The trough is seven feet nine inches in length and weighs only forty-three pounds, making it very convenient for one man to handle. This trough, constructed as cheaply and as durably as possible, is sufficiently strong to prevent the pigs from breaking it to pieces.

Lumber seven-eighths of an inch thick is used in constructing the trough with the exception of the floor and ridgepole. The floor is made from one inch stuff, while the ridgepole can be made from a piece of lumber two inches square dressed.

The following bill of material is necessary to construct the weaning trough.

One piece one inch by one foot by twelve feet for the floor and ends. The end pieces can be dressed down to seven eighths of an inch.

One piece seven eighths by four inches by sixteen feet for the two sides.

One piece two inches square by eight feet dressed for the ridgepole.

One-quarter inches by fifteen feet for the partition pieces.

Total number of board feet, twenty.

Thirty-six screws one and one quarter inches (No. 9) to fasten the partition pieces.

Fifty-two nails (eightpenny) fourteen used to fasten each end piece to the ridgepole, sides and bottom, twelve used to fasten each side piece to the floor of the trough.

A weaning trough constructed like the one here described will aid each pig to get his share of feed and will also insure comfort to the pigs while eating. A feeder can handle a well built trough and carry it from place to place much more easily than he can a clumsy, poorly constructed one.

Fattening Horses For Market.

In the north and west a favorite fattening ration for horses is based upon boiled sugar beets. There is another ration in general use in breeders' stables all over the country that consists of bran, cornmeal, barley and sugar beets. This is a mixture that is boiled into a soft mash. The formula for preparing it is like this: You take a bushel of barley and with this place twenty-five pounds of sugar beets. This part of the mixture is boiled until well softened, and to three pounds of this is added two pounds of cracked corn or cornmeal and three pounds of bran. Boiling water is poured over after it is mixed, and the mess is fed while warm. Along with this a pint of linseed meal is fed.

Silage For Beef Cattle.

The man who is handling a herd of beef breeding cows may keep them in ideal condition by grazing in summer and feeding silage with alfalfa or clover hay in winter, thus carrying them through the entire year without the use of grain or concentrates, says the Kansas Farmer. This method is easily adaptable to those sections where farming and grazing lands are in close proximity. Where alfalfa or clover hay is not produced successfully the addition of one pound of cottonseed meal daily to a ration of silage and straw, fed according to appetite, will carry breeding cows through the winter in the best of condition.

No Profit in Scrub Cattle.

An Ohio farmer, transplanted to Virginia, who produces Aberdeen-Angus cattle for beef, makes the pithy observation that a scrub will eat just as much as a good beef grade, "and when a fellow who has grown enough feed for the two sees the difference in the size of the checks he gets for them it usually clinches the matter."

Cartoonists and Small Boys.

"It takes a cartoonist," says a writer in Cartoons Magazine, "to understand the heart of the small boy. The cartoonists enter into his sports and share his joys and sorrow. They sit with him under the cool willows, watching the red and yellow bobber as a fat sunfish or a bullhead nibbles at the bait.

"They know his likes and dislikes, which are simple. In the former category fall baseball, strawberry shortcake, kites, marbles, rafts, rubber boots, dogs, circuses, swimming, picnics, buckwheat cakes, Fourth of July, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas. In the latter may be found copper toed shoes, schoolbooks, teachers, starched collars, sulphur and molasses, practicing, washing one's neck. According to the cartoonists, the small boy lives from holiday to holiday, with a birthday in between."

The Word "Slave."

An interesting instance in history of the twisted application of the names of a people is afforded by the case of the word "slave." Now, the Slavi, tribes dwelling on the banks of the Dnieper, derived their appellation from "Slav," meaning noble or illustrious. In the days of the later Roman empire vast numbers of these Slavs were taken over by the Romans in the condition of captive servants, and in this way the name of the tribes came in time to carry with it the idea of a low state of servitude, the exact antithesis of its original meaning and one that has survived to this time.

The Gobelin Factory.

The Gobelin factory was founded in 1515 by Francis I., who scoured Europe for the artists and the makers of beautiful things who could bring luster to the capital of France. Under his auspices came Leonardo da Vinci, and he it was who laid the foundations for the collections of statuary and paintings that have made Paris famous. The Gobelin tapestry factory was among the least of his undertakings.

The Pessimist.

"I've had an offer for my house. A man wants to pay me $3,000 more than it cost me."

"You'll accept, of course."

"Yes, but I'm afraid the man's relations will find out he's crazy before I can close the deal."—Exchange.

Parnassus Grass.

The beautiful grass of Parnassus, which is found in marshy quarters of Great Britain, derives its name from its supposed origin on Mount Parnassus.

So Feminine.

Lottie—I wouldn't be in Kittie's shoes for anything in the world. Hattie—Of course not. They'd hurt you terribly.

Optimistic Thought.

Good-natured people make the best of things.

Economy Hints

A penny saved is a penny earned.—Benjamin Franklin.

SOMETIMES when a woman takes up the problem of house furnishing she has to buy everything new from the beginning, and sometimes she already has a more or less complete equipment which she hopes to improve gradually—that is, to continue the comparison with the factory, she has to do with a "going concern." In either case she must study the situation carefully and make sure of what she most wants before she begins to buy. It is impossible for her to select to the best advantage unless she has all the principal needs in mind to begin with and goes at the task systematically. Haphazard buying is always extravagant and nowhere more so than in connection with house furnishings. There is such a bewildering variety of things to be used in a house that unless the housekeeper keeps a clear idea of what she wishes most and plans her buying carefully she will find herself getting things which, though useful, are not the most useful or are not the best adapted to her particular needs. Two dining tables may be equally good of their kind, but one may be much better adapted to a particular house and family than the other. If it is a case of furnishing a house entirely with new things it is wise to go slowly and learn from experience what will best suit the special conditions, even if this prevents putting the whole house completely in order at once. For example, it might be well to see how one's belongings fit into the built-in cupboards before deciding whether to buy a sideboard or a china closet.

If only a limited amount of money can be spent at one time, it would probably be better to leave an extra bedroom unfurnished or do without an extra rug than to "skimp" on the quality of the necessary things. When it is merely a question of renewing or increasing old equipment, the thoughtful housekeeper considers the value of each article in connection with what she has or expects to have as well as by itself. If she has no convenient cupboard for her ironing supplies, an ironing table of the settle type with a box under the seat may be more serviceable than the ordinary kind; and if she expects to get a new set of table dishes soon and can then use some of the old ones in the kitchen, it is poor policy to stock up unnecessarily with kitchen ware.

In order to buy in accordance with a definite plan she must often steel herself against the allurements of bargain counters or of beguiling salesmen, not because the wares they offer are not intrinsically good or cheap, but because in spite of being good or cheap they may not be what she really needs most. It is poor economy for her to buy sheets which will not be used for several years instead of napkins which are needed at once, simply because the sheets happen to be a few cents cheaper than usual, or to be persuaded to take an omelet pan when what she had meant to get next was a new coffee pot.

How to Use Left Over Coffee For Various Culinary Purposes.

Here is a French recipe for a coffee blanc mange that differs slightly from the ordinary. Add to a glass of clear, strong coffee seven ounces of gelatin that has been soaked in water. Chop finely a pound of almonds and pound into a powder; soak this in three glasses of water and mix with the coffee. Pour the mixture into a mold and cook in the oven for half an hour. Serve cold.

Cold coffee boiled with sugar to form a coffee sirup is very palatable when served as a sauce with vanilla, coffee or chocolate ice cream. It also makes a delicious flavoring for whipped cream.

With the aid of a tin cocktail shaker many soda fountain drinks can be made at home from leftover coffee. A glass of milk, one egg, two tablespoonfuls of cream and four tablespoonfuls of sweetened coffee, well shaken together, furnish a delicious and nourishing drink.

Another beverage that is unusual is made with one part of coffee and three parts of cocoa. This is to be served hot with luncheon or as a substitute for afternoon tea.

How to Clean Some Particular Parts of the House.

When cleaning mopboards the wall adjoining may easily be protected by using a piece of cardboard held at the upper edge of the mopboard. This allows the cloth to soil the cardboard instead of the wall and avoids the streak one so often sees upon wallpaper or painted walls.

To freshen gilt frames dust them carefully, then wash with one ounce of soda beaten up with the whites of three eggs. Scraped patches may be touched up with any gold paint.

Castile soap and warm water with proper care may be used to clean oil paintings; other methods should not be employed without some skill.

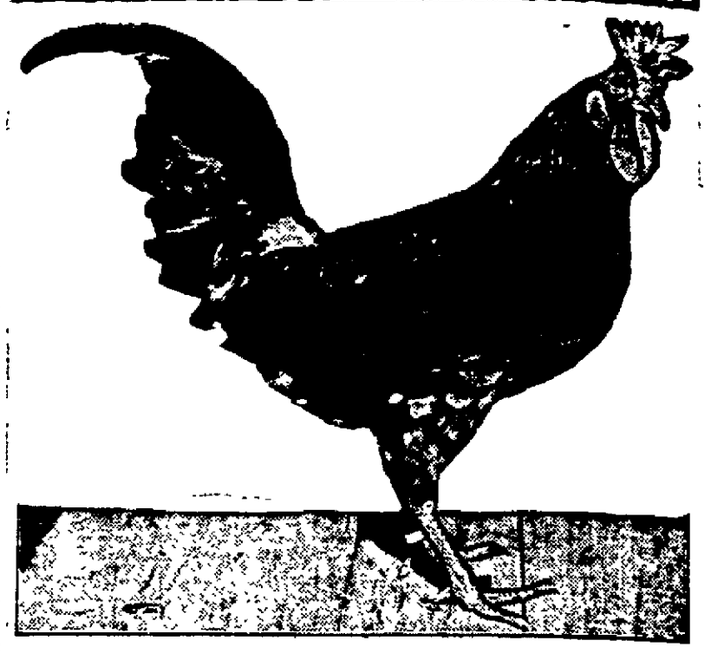
To remove paint from window glass use strong hot vinegar.

A redhot iron will remove old putty or will soften it so that it can easily be scraped from window glass.

Just a Suggestion.

"In writing this book I had one eye on the stage and one eye on the moving pictures." "Pity you didn't have another eye to keep on the book. You might have improved it a lot."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

MILK IS EXCELLENT FOOD FOR CHICKENS



"Buttercup" at the Poultry Show.

Milk is one of the greatest foods for humans and animals that nature has provided and makes an important part of their diet. It is also found to be a great food for poultry, both young growing chicks and laying hens. The greatest question now arises as to when and how and what amount should be given.

On most every farm we now find the cream separator, declares a writer, and after separating the milk we have the skim milk which the farmer has been using to what he thinks is the most advantage, usually feeding it to hogs. If he will try some of this in feeding his poultry I think I am safe in saying that it will yield him still better returns. Sour milk is better than to feed while it is still sweet, but it is very little trouble in this way, for if in a warm place it soon undergoes this change.

In souring milk becomes more or less solid in form so that the birds are able to get hold of it better. Especially is it best for small chicks, for their little digestive organs are not capable of using sweet milk, whereas the sour milk is digested quickly. When first the milk is given, they may not drink very much, but in a few days they will learn to like it and will consume quite a great deal. Always see that the milk is sour, as feeding it to them sweet one day and sour the next will result in an upset of the fowl's digestive system every time.

The sour milk should be kept before them at all times, but placed in such a manner that they are not apt to get into it and get it dirty and filthy. The pan should be cleaned and scalded every day and refilled as often as it is found empty.

The results obtained from feeding sour milk to the chicks in this manner for the first ten or twelve weeks of their lives is marvelous to a person who has never tried it. It gives them a good start on the road to growth and development, and if they do not get started right they become stunted and remain undeveloped birds through life. Another important part sour milk plays is that the flock will develop more evenly, adding increased health and vigor. Do not use it in place of grains or mash feed, as these also fill their place.

The laying hens need practically the same kinds of foods as the growing stock and sour milk being high in protein, aids greatly in building up eggs in their bodies. It tends to keep all the organs in their system in working order. The meat scrap should be reduced in the mash when sour milk is being fed. It should never be fed when it has reached the point where it has a bad smell or is molded, and keeping the milk cans and feeding pans clean will mean a great deal along this line.

HINTS FOR THE POULTRYMAN

Chickens Must Be Given Good Attention for Best Results—Keep Hens in Vigorous Health.

If you want to get the best results from your chickens you must give them attention.

You must keep your hens in good health, providing coops that are clean and well ventilated, and allowing the chickens the run of orchard or pasture through the day.

You must feed your hens well for growth and development. They should go to roost with crops well filled with wholesome grains, after returning from the range, and plenty of skim milk and water should be available through the day.

You must see that your hens have shade in which to rest. If trees and shrubs are not plentiful, burlap or gunny-sack shades should be put up.

You must keep your broody hens in airy coops and feed and water them well. They will recover from their broodiness in five or ten days.

You must gather your eggs daily and market them at least twice a week.

DIFFERENT COLOR OF CHICKS

Downy Covering of Many of Purebreds Is Opposite to Hue When Fully Covered With Feathers.

Those who buy eggs of certain breeds of black fowls, having no experience with the breed, often write back in wrath to the firm from which eggs were purchased, declaring they were cheated, as the chicks hatched from the eggs were nearly all white, or more white than black in the color.

The downy covering of many of the purebred breeds is different in color from what the full-feathered covering will be. For instance, the whiter the down of the chicks of some black breeds the blacker that chick when grown; the grayer the down of a newly hatched White Rock the whiter it will be when grown.

It is the same with some breeds of white geese: they come out of the shell as gray as mice, but that color all departs.

FOUR SOUND POULTRY FACTS

Infertile Eggs Keep Best During Heat of Summer—Best Plan to Segregate the Roosters.

Fertile eggs spoil quickly in summer weather.

2. Infertile eggs keep best and market best in summer heat.

3. Fertile eggs are produced if the roosters are allowed to run with the hens.

4. Infertile eggs are produced if the roosters are kept from the hens.—Ohio Agricultural College.

SOIL ADAPTED FOR POULTRY

Light Loam, Through Which Water Leaches Freely, Is Best—Give Fowls Plenty of Range.

Poultry can be raised successfully on any well-drained soil. A light loam, which will grow good grass, is a very light, sandy soil, through which the water leaches freely, will stand more intensive poultry conditions, but most of the green feed for the fowls kept on such a soil will have to be purchased. A heavy clay or adobe soil is not as well adapted to poultry raising, as such land does not drain readily and it is much more difficult to keep the stock healthy.

Long stationary houses, or the intensive system, saves steps, but it is easier to keep the birds healthy and to reproduce the stock under the colony system where the birds are allowed free range.

Breeding stock, especially growing chickens, should have an abundance of range, while hens used solely for the production of market eggs may be kept on a very small area with good results.

The colony house system necessitates placing the houses, holding about 100 hens, from 200 to 250 feet apart, so that the stock will not kill the grass.

The colony system may be adapted to severe winter conditions by drawing the colony houses together in a convenient place at the beginning of winter, thus reducing the labor during these months.

BEST POULTRY FOR MARKET

Enormous Amount of Inferior Product Largely Affects Prices—Ship Only Best Quality.

Nothing but the best quality of poultry should be shipped to market. Only those who ever visited the large markets know of the enormous amount of inferior poultry that is sold, and which largely affects the prices; yet there is always a demand for that which is good, and at a price above the regular quotations.

Assorting the carcasses before shipping also leads to better prices. Old roosters, which seldom sell at more than half price, should not be in the same boxes or barrels with better stock, and to ship poultry alive, and to have roosters in the coops with fat hens, is simply to lower the price of the hens, as the buyer will estimate the value by the presence of the inferior stock.

Selling Eggs for Hatching.

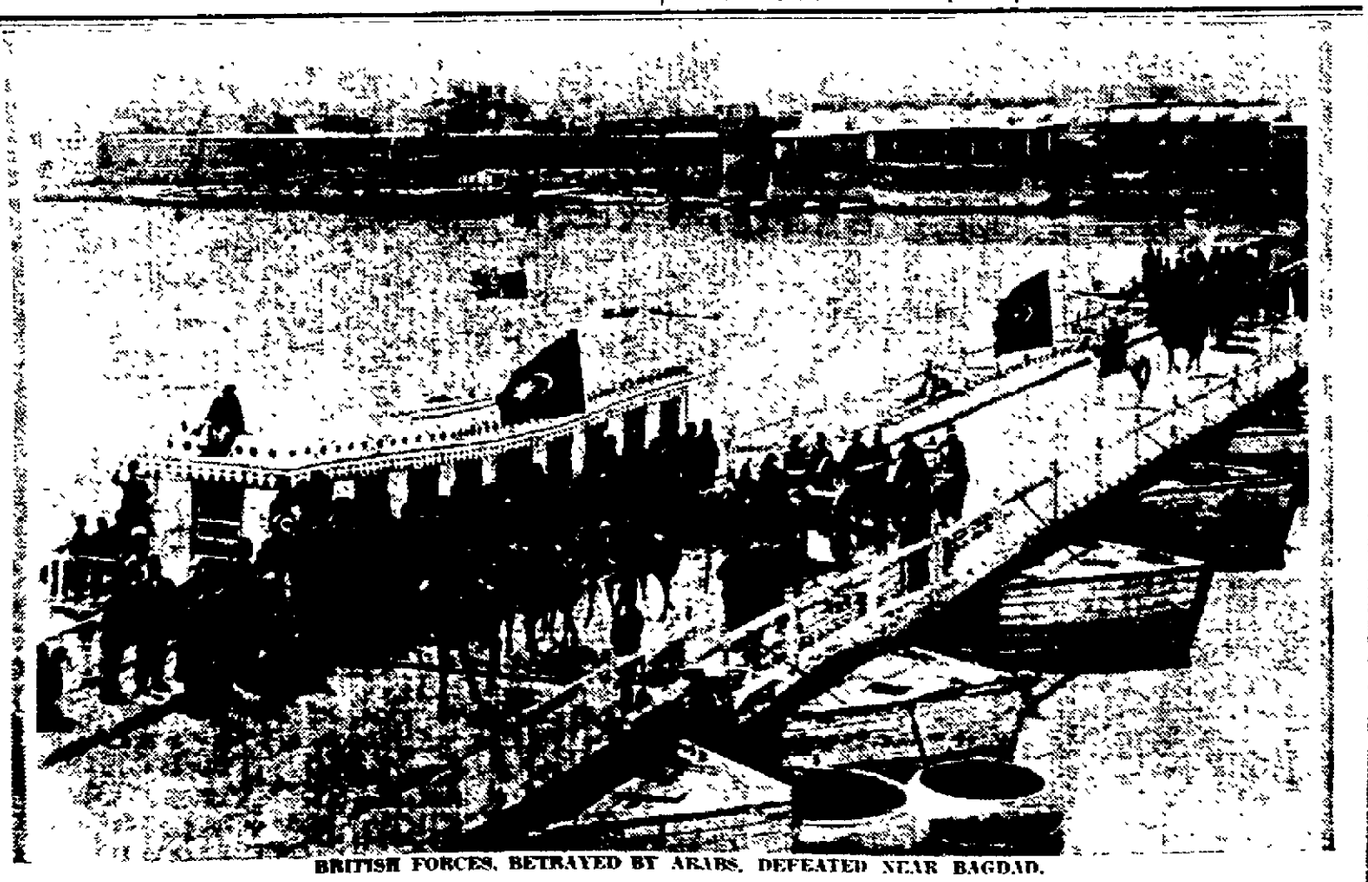
If you are selling eggs for hatching, a visit to the best breeding farm you can easily reach, will pay you well. Observe closely the methods followed there, and then improve on them all you can.

Character Counts.

A man who lives right, and is right, has more power in his silence than another has by his words. Character is like bells which, when touched, even accidentally, resound with sweet music.—Phillips Brooks.

Light Under Water.

Photography has discovered the depth to which the sun's rays penetrate water. Five hundred and thirty feet below the surface darkness was much the same as that on earth on a clear but moonless night.



BRITISH FORCES, BETRAYED BY ARABS, DEFEATED NEAR BAGDAD.

The picture shows Turkish artillery crossing over the celebrated bridge of boats at Bagdad. Note in the foreground and in the center of the river the guffas or coracles, the curious round craft used by the natives.

Led into a trap by treacherous Arab scouts the British Mesopotamian force advancing up the Tigris was defeated by an overwhelming force of Turks and forced to retire to their base.

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TO LET.

TO LET.—Apartments. Delaware Ave., Spring St., Home St. and 368 Broadway; house 35 Lindsley Ave. John N. Cordts Estate.

TO LET.—Lower flat, 96 Henry St. Apply 69 Clinton Ave.

TO LET.—From Jan. 1st, new six room flat, 334 Washington Ave.; improvements.

TO LET.—House, 6 rooms, all improvements, 106 Elmendorf St., rent $25. Inquire 110 Elmendorf St.

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TO LET.—Rooms, 78 Crown St.

TO LET.—Five room flat; improvements. 40 First Ave.

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TO LET.—Flat. 29 Liberty St.

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FOR RENT.—Crosby residence at No. 112 W. Chestnut St.; all improvements. Inquire at 574 Broadway.

TO LET.—Flat. 114 Tremper Ave.

TO LET.—House, all improvements, 108 Hone St. Staples Brick Co.

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TO LET.—Building or store, corner East Strand and Hasbrouck Ave. Estate of John N. Cordts.

TO LET.—Flat, 207 Downs St. Improvements.

TO LET.—House, 64 Pine Grove Ave. Call at 100 Hoffman St.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A GLANCE

Berlin—Imperial Chancellor von Bethman Hollweig announced in Reichstag Germany will make no peace proposals to Allies but willing to discuss proposals made by Allies which are compatible with Germany's dignity and safety. Ochrida, last town of importance held by Serbs, captured by Bulgarians.

Washington—Great Britain gives in to United States in cases of American steamers Hocking and Genesee. Orders requisitioning two vessels will be cancelled pending prize court proceedings. Negotiations started to obtain safe conduct to Germany for Captains Boy-Ed and Von Papen, whose recall demanded by U. S.

Paris—French troops gained successes near Souain. German ammunition depot destroyed. English submarine sunk Turkish destroyer Yar Hissary in Sea Marmora.

Sofia—Bulgarians captured station of Demir Kapou on Nish Salonika railway.

London—England intends have army four millions under arms by April 1. Two steamers sunk by submarines.

Constantinople—Turkish troops advanced on Aden, British fortress in Arabia.

Budapest — Reported Russian forces ready to invade Balkans.

Athens—Reported negotiations between Greece and allies arriving at definite solution.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Mrs. Veronika Koloseus, a sister of the late Professor Ferdinand Amend, formerly of this city, died in New York city on Tuesday. The funeral will be held opon the arrival of the 2:25 West Shore train on Friday afternoon. The interment will be in St. Peter's Cemetery.

Raymond G., son of William and Emma Shuesler, died on Wednesday afternoon at the Benedictine Sanitarium, aged six months. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at one o'clock from the family residence, No. 66 Newkirk avenue, with interment in Montrepose cemetery.

Myron Hasbrouck died on Tuesday at his home in Middletown in his 62nd year. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Irvin of Middletown and John of Middletown, three brothers, Levi, Wooster and Augustus, of Liberty, and two sisters, Lois Lauber of Dairyland and Anna Clark of Woodland.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Susan Bogart, widow of Edgar Myer, who died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Whitbeck, at Weehawken, N. J., took place this morning from the funeral chapel of A. Carr & Son, No. 1 Pearl street, and this afternoon at two o'clock from the Marlborough Reformed Church. The service was conducted by the Rev. T. H. Baragwanath, pastor of St. James' Methodist Episcopal Church.

Isaac Yocom, a veteran of the Civil War, who formerly was president of the Harris Light Cavalry Association, died of arteriosclerosis in Peekskill on Wednesday. He was seventy-six years old. He had owned a blacksmith shop in Peekskill for forty-eight years. Mr. Yocom was one of the men picked to accompany Colonel Dahlgren in his raid in the Shenandoah Valley. He was the son of the Rev. E. S. Yocom, a Baptist pastor. He leaves his wife and eight children.

Mary Ann Wynkoop, wife of Leonard Wynkoop, died at her home near Krumville on Sunday evening. Mrs. Wynkoop was a woman of Christian character and her kindly acts and deeds endeared her to all with whom she came in contact. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Homer Traver of Palentown and Mrs. Jerry Davis of Krumville, also nine grandchildren. Mrs. Wynkoop was in her sixty-seventh year. Funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from Krumville Church. Interment in Krumville Cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah E. Mulford died on Tuesday at her home in Walden. She was born March 25, 1841, in Wallkill where the greater part of her life was spent. About fifty years ago she married James Mulford who died about twenty-six years ago. About nine years ago Mrs. Mulford removed from Wallkill to Walden where she had since made her home. Besides her daughter, Miss Cornelia, she is survived by the following nephews and nieces, E. B. DuBois of Walden, Simon DuBois of Wallkill, Andrew DuBois of New York, Mrs. Silas Lefevre of New Paltz and Mrs. John Jansen of Wallkill.

William G. Lowe died Wednesday evening at his home after a short illness, aged 67 years. For the past twenty-four years he had been in the employ of the West Shore Railroad Company and prior to that time he was a contractor for the Lawrence Cement Company for eighteen years. He is survived by one daughter, Ella M. Lowe of this city, and one son, Albert W. Lowe of Grand Rapids, Michigan. The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 628 Broadway, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. T. H. Baragwanath, pastor of St. James' Methodist Episcopal Church, will officiate. The interment will be in Wiltwyck cemetery.

William Benson, who was for many years one of the foremost dry goods merchant in Kingston, died Wednesday evening at the home of his niece, Mrs. James H. Everett, No. 105 Maiden Lane, aged 87 years. For several years he had been an invalid and unable to go out of doors. Mr. Benson was born in the town of Marbletown, where he spent his youth. He received his education in the Marbletown schools and at an early age entered business with his brother, the late Anthony Benson, the brothers conducting a general store at Montanye Corners. Anthony Benson came to Kingston to engage in business and about the time of the War of the Rebellion he induced William Benson to locate here. The latter engaged in the grocery business as a partner of the late Caleb M. Merritt, on Wall street, occupying the building on the site of the present Corey building, in which Costello & Dugan's store is now located. The partnership was dissolved after several years and Mr. Benson entered the dry goods business. Mr. Benson erected the building now occupied by G. A. Hart & Company, which he occupied. Griffin A. Hart later became his partner, the firm being known as Benson & Hart, and when Robert Hubbard became a partner the firm name was changed to Benson, Hart & Hubbard. After Mr. Benson's retirement a number of years ago, the business was continued under the name of G. A. Hart & Company and has remained one of the leading dry goods stores of the Hudson river valley. For many years Mr. Benson was actively interested in St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church. Mr. Benson's wife and only daughter, Sarah, died several years ago. Funeral from his late residence, No. 105 Maiden Lane, on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

New York Produce Market.

Wheat—Irregular and unsettled. December, $1.22 nominal; May, $1.24 nominal; spot No. 2 red winter, $1.31 c. i. f. New York to arrive, $1.34½ f. o. b. to arrive.

Corn—Firm. No. 2 yellow, 84¼c c. i. f., domestic basis 10 days' shipment all rail.

Oats—Firm. Fancy white clipped, 46½@47½c; ordinary to fancy white clipped, 45½@46c.

Rye—Steady. No. 2 western, $1.03½ c. i. f. export; state, $1.05½ f. o. b. New York.

Barley—Firm. Malting, 75@85c c. i. f. Buffalo.

Hay—Steady. No. 1, $1.22½@$1.25; No. 3, 97½c@$1.07½; clover mixed, $1.05@$1.20.

Straw—Steady. No. 1 straight rye, 65@70c.

DIED.

BENSON—In this city, Dec. 8, 1915, William Benson in his 87th year. Funeral from residence, No. 105 Maiden Lane, on Saturday at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

LOWE—In this city, Dec. 8, 1915, William G. Lowe, aged 67 years. Funeral from residence, No. 628 Broadway on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

KOLOSEUS—In New York city, Tuesday, December 7, 1915, Mrs. Veronika Koloseus, a sister of the late Professor Ferdinand Amend, formerly of this city. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral upon the arrival of the 2:25 West Shore train on Friday afternoon, December 10. Interment in St. Peter's Cemetery.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET.—10 room house, 197 Washington Ave., near Pearl. Inquire 42 Crown St.

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FOR RENT.—Fruit farm, 30 acres, at Ulster Park, near station, 4,000 grapes, 2,000 dewberries, cherry orchard, pears, etc. Apply A. W. Soper, 624 Broadway, New York city.

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WANTED.—Roomers and boarders in private family. 27 Henry St.

WANTED.—Small house, must be in good locality, not higher than five thousand; will pay cash; all improvements. Address "B. N. S.," The Huntington.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 9.—The stock market opened fairly active with irregular price movements. At the outset there were gains over Wednesday's close extending to ¾ in Butte and Superior and Maxwell Motors. General Electric started ¾ higher and Goodrich made an equal gain. Smaller improvements took place in a number of other issues, including Studebaker, Utah Copper, Great Northern pfd., Allis Chalmers and other issues. Steel common opened ½ lower at 86⅝, but quickly rallied to Wednesday's final. American Beet Sugar, Chino-Copper, Southern Pacific and a few others suffered small fractional losses. Industrial Alcohol started a point higher but in this stock and in a number of others that made improvements at the outset recessions occurred, ranging up to ½. By the end of the first fifteen minutes Steel common had established a recovery of ⅜ from the opening and this gave tone to the general list, which became firmer. Colo. Fuel opened ½ higher and scored an additional gain of ¼. Slight improvement occurred in Am. Can common, Am. Smelting, Distillers Securities, Reading and American Car and Foundry.

General weakness was shown in the late forenoon. Many issues sold materially under Wednesday's close and a few issues, including Republic Iron and Steel, Great Northern Ore, American Car and Foundry retained slight improvements over yesterday. Steel common dropped back to 87¼. Texas Company sold at 212. Studebaker sold at 170. Ontario Mining advanced to 12¼. Reading was off ½. Union Pacific, ⅜. Baldwin Locomotive and Distillers were off about ¼. Money loaning 1¾ per cent.

There was a heavy tone to leading issues during the late afternoon, prices in these issues worked generally toward lower levels. Steel dropped a point to 86⅝ and Anaconda Copper, which sold at 88 earlier, dropped to 86⅞. Ontario Silver and Corn Products were both in good demand.

The Market closed irrregular. The leading stocks were steady at declines. Some important issues made moderate gains, but expressions of opinions generally were bearish. Steel Common rallied frob 86⅝ to 87 and Anaconda from 86⅜ to 86⅞. The railway stocks were traded in within a narrow range. Ontario Silver was the prominent feature, advancing to about 12. Governments unchanged; other bonds strong except Anglo Sx French loan.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline, Warren Building, Fair street, Kingston, N. Y., Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers	31⅝
American Beet Sugar	[illegible]
American Car & Foundry	80¼
American Can	60½
American Cotton Oil	
American Ice Securities	25½
American Locomotive	69
American Smelting & Ref. Co	98¼
American Sugar	116½
American Telephone & Telegraph	128⅞
Anaconda Copper Mining	86⅝
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	100½
Baldwin Loco	114
Baltimore & Ohio	99¼
Bethlehem Steel Co	471
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88¾
Canadian Pacific	132½
Central Leather	55
Chesapeake & Ohio	62⅞
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	94¼
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	19
Colorado Fuel & Iron	52
Consolidated Gas, N. Y	143
Corn Products	19⅛
Crucible Steel	72½
Distillers' Securities	47
Erie	43
Erie, 1st pfd	57½
General Electric	176½
Goodrich Rubber	73½
Great Northern, pfd	126⅛
Great Northern Ore	49
Illinois Central	
Interborough Con	21⅝
Inter-Con. pfd	79⅞
Kansas City Southern	31⅛
Louisville & Nashville	
Lehigh Valley	81
Maxwell Motor	76
Maxwell Motor 1st pfd	100¾
Maxwell Motor 2d pfd	57¼
Mexican Petroleum	92⅛
Missouri Pacific	4¾
National Lead	64¾
New York Central	103½
N. Y., N. H. & H	74½
New York, Ontario & Western	31¼
Norfolk & Western	120
Northern Pacific	116¾
Pennsylvania Railroad	59⅛
People's Gas, Chicago	
Pittsburgh Coal	31⅝
Pressed Steel Car	64
Railway Steel Sp'g	45
Reading	81¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	56⅝
Southern Pacific	101½
Southern Railway	22¾
Southern Railway, pfd	82½
Studebaker	167⅞
Tennessee Copper	57¾
Third Ave. R. R	61⅝
Union Pacific	137⅞
U. S. Steel	86⅝
U. S. Steel, pfd	116
U. S. Rubber	54½
Utah Copper	80
Virginia Car. Chem	47¼
Western Union	85⅝
Westinghouse Electric	65½

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., will meet on Friday at 3 p. m. in the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

Preparatory service will be held at 7:45 this evening in the Rondout Presbyterian Church and the session will meet at the close to receive new members.

Mr. Cross in Trouble.

Hanford Cross was arrested this afternoon charged with non-support. He was admitted to bail and will be arraigned before the recorder on Friday.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

United German Lodge, No. 303, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 36 East Strand.

Golden Sunset Lodge, No. 237, Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, at 636 Broadway.

Exempt Firemen's Association, at Central Fire Station.

Tappen Camp, No. 1, Sons of Veterans, at 5 Thomas street.

Minnewaska Tribe, No. 130, Improved Order of Red Men, at 635 Broadway.

Kingston Lodge, No. 550, B. P. O. E., at Elks' Club, Fair street.

Crystal Lodge, No. 132, Knights and Ladies of Honor, at 15 Hasbrouck avenue.

I. C. S. Educational Club, at Meister's Hall, at 8 o'clock.

Norwood Conclave, No. 66, Improved Order of Heptasophs, at 635 Broadway.

Ladies' Auxiliary of Division No. 4, A. O. H., at the home of Mrs. McLane, No. 221 East Strand.

St. Joseph's Branch, No. 563, Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association, at 642 Broadway.

Regular meeting and election of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., Division No. 4, will be held this evening at the residence of Miss Marion Tompkins, No. 110 Newkirk avenue.

The annual meeting of Pratt Post, No. 127, G. A. R., was held at the post rooms on Green street Wednesday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commander, James H. Everett; senior vice commander, Griffin A. Hart; junior vice commander, H. S. Jennings; adjutant, Charles W. Griffiths; quartermaster, Edward W. Matheson; surgeon, John P. Shurter; chaplain, Abram T. Drake; officer of the day, Charles H. Styles; officer of the guard, Charles Van Steenburgh; patriotic instructor, the Rev. A. H. Haynes; sergeant-major, Joseph Shelightner; quartermaster-sergeant, William Flowers; delegate to state encampment, Griffin A. Hart; alternate, H. S. Jennings. The officers will be installed at the first meeting of the post to be held in January, 1916.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Ulster county held the greatest meetings in their history at St. Mary's Hall this city on Wednesday evening. The meeting was composed of all the divisions of the county and was held in honor of a visit of National President Joseph McLoughlin of Philadelphia and State Director John Flynn of Poughkeepsie and the visit was made in connection with a campaign for new members, which has been under way for some months past. A large class of candidates were initiated into the order, after which able addresses were delivered by Mr. McLoughlin, Mr. Flynn, the county chaplin, the Rev. Dean Hickey, County President John Heaney and Past County President Patrick Cullen. The meeting was an enthusiastic one throughout and several more will be held in the near future. The reception and arrangement committee was composed of the following members: John Heaney, Patrick H. Cullen, James Connelly, Edmund Britt, Joseph Long, James Hoben and Thomas McConnell. Guests were present from Poughkeepsie, Newburgh, East Kingston, Sawkill and Saugerties. The national president is due to preside at a meeting in Wappinger Falls this evening.

More than 400 persons partook of a delicious hot chicken pie supper on the opening night of the fair of Charles DeWitt Council, No. 91, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, on Wednesday evening. The fair is being held to raise funds to pay off an indebtedness on the new building of the council located on Henry street. The supper was served in the spacious new lodge rooms and the Junior Mechanics were assisted in the preparation and serving of the supper by members of the Daughters of America. The fair will continue for four nights, closing Saturday evening. Dancing was enjoyed Wednesday night until midnight and will be a feature of the remaining nights of the fair. The building is attractively decorated in the American colors. Mrs. C. E. Post is chairman of the committee in charge of the fancy booth, Mrs. Charles Lord heads the committee in charge of the candy table, Mrs. George E. Ryer is chairman of the fish pond committee and Mrs. Van Gaasbeek heads the committee in charge of the serving of ice cream. Charles Leibert, a mail carrier, looks after the country store, Samuel Messinger has charge of the lunch counter. William M. Miller conducts the "crazy kitchen," in the basement, and the dancing is under the direction of Ward Tongue. George Scriber has charge of the cigar booth. The fair was a success in every way Wednesday night and it is anticipated the attendance tonight will also be large.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Samuel Nager of Olivereа is spending several days in town.

Kingston is represented at Goucher College, Baltimore, Md., by Miss Emma Down, a former student of Kingston Academy.

Thomas J. Smith of this city has been appointed manager of the United Cigar Company's store at Newburgh. Mr. Smith was formerly manager of the company's store on Wall street.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Wheat closed ¼ @ ⅜ lower. Corn was ⅞ @ ⅝ cents lower. Oats were ½ @ ⅝ cents lower. Provisions were unchanged to 15 cents lower.

Closing Prices.

Wheat. May, $1.16⅝.

Corn. December, $1.14⅝; May, 71⅝ @ ¾c.

Oats. December, 67⅜ @ ⅝; May, 45¼ @ ⅝c.

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Boneless Herring	18c lb
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10 Rolls Toilet Paper	25c
7 Lenox Soap	25c
Home Made Minced Ham,	22c lb
Stew Veal	16-18c lb
Pork Chops	16c
Bacon, by strip	20c

SOCIETY NOTES.

All members of the Federation of Women's Clubs, not merely the executive committee, are reminded of the special meeting to be held at the Federation House on Saturday afternoon of this week at 3 o'clock. Much will be made of the social phase of this meeting.

Colonel Clarence M. Townsley, superintendent of the West Point Military Academy, and Mrs. Townsley; Colonel and Mrs. Cornelius De Witt Wilcox and Colonel and Mrs. William Gordon, also of West Point, are the guests of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Francis J. Higginson, at the Huntington, having come to Kingston to attend the Butterfly Ball this evening.

Goodsell-Storm.

Edward Goodsell of Bayonne, N. J., and Miss Sophie Storm of No. 102 Third avenue, were quietly married on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the parsonage of the Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church on Livingston street by the Rev. Frederick P. Wilhelm. The bride was attractively gowned in a traveling suit of blue with hat to match and carried a shower bouquet of Killarney roses, while her bridesmaid, Miss Rose Wiedmann, was also gowned in blue and wore a hat to match. The best man was Harry Staples. The bride's gift to her bridesmaid was a gold bracelet while the groom's gift to his best man was a gold stick pin. After a wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Goodsell will reside in Bayonne where the groom holds a responsible position as a draftsman with a large concern. His bride was one of the most popular saleladies at the Up-to-Date Company's store on Wall street, and a host of friends wish the happy couple a long and prosperous married life.

Atharhacton Club.

The Atharhacton Club met with Miss Paulding at The Kirkland on Wednesday afternoon. Miss Paulding had the paper for the day, and presented the subject of "Francis Thompson, Poet," in a most admirable manner. At the very outset of the paper it was stated that one cannot read this author hurriedly and reach the hidden meaning of the majority of his works. Thompson has been styled the "Torch to our Darkness," and also "The Poet Laureate of the Roman Catholic Church. A mystic and given to introspection, he was said to be the slave of his own dreams. His allegories are somewhat involved and he has been adversely criticised for his use of unknown or newly coined words. This poet has two distinct styles, a simple style and a priestly style. He is positively luxurious with his descriptions and his favorite themes are the "sun" and "spring." "The Hound of Heaven" was considered his masterpiece. Several of his shorter poems, "To a Snowflake," "The Poppy," etc., were read and aroused considerable discussion. At its business session the club voted to take charge of the sale of Christmas seals at the Forsyth & Davis store, beginning next Monday. The club will meet next week with Miss Van Hoevenberg.

Entertaining Recital.

The recital given by Miss Ethel Mauterstock, pianist and reader, and Mrs. George D. Beckwith, contralto, at the Albany Avenue Baptist Church last evening, proved to be exceedingly entertaining. The program was as follows:

Reading—The Ballad of East and West.....Kipling
Vocal Solo—My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice (Samson and Delilah) ....—Saint-Saens
Piano Solo, Nocturne for Left Hand.—Scriabine
Readings:
Encouragement .....Dunbar
Crossing the Bar.....Tennyson
Don't You?.....Cooke
Almost Beyond Endurance .....—Riley
Vocal Solo—Selected.
Reading—The Going of the White Swan .....Gilbert Parker
Reading—That Old Sweetheart of Mine (Piano accompaniment)....—Riley
Piano Solos:
To a Wild Rose.....MacDowell
Etude Japonaise .....Poldini
Reading—Baptizing the Twins ....—Hogan

It will be seen from the foregoing that great versatility of talent was required to cover the various readings, and Miss Mauterstock seemed equally fluent and realistic in each number, eliciting warm applause for every number and responding to one or two with delightful encores. She also proved herself a pianist of unusual merit. The evening's program was greatly enhanced by the singing of Mrs. Beckwith, whose vocal numbers were heartily encored.

LOMONTVILLE.

Lomontville, Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Whittaker and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Markle on Sunday.

Miss Lucy Bush, who visited relatives at Kingston the past week, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murdock entertained some friends and neighbors Tuesday afternoon and evening.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9.

Sun rises, 7:09; sets, 4:29.

Weather, cloudy. Humidity, 64 to 68.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 31 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 43 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Partly cloudy in south and probably snow flurries in north portion tonight. Friday, fair and not much change in temperature.

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LIMITED SUPPORT ACCORDED TEAM

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Apropos of the offers received by Manager Morgenweck to transfer the Kingston franchise and team in the Interstate Basketball League to either Bridgeport or South Norwalk, Conn., and his decision to remain here, at least for the present, looking to the interest and loyalty of local fans to support adequately their team, which is making such a good showing in what is now an eight-club circuit, it may be stated that the attendance at games in Kingston so far has been far from satisfactory. This added to the fact the Kingston team, because of the distance other teams must travel to play here, is required by the league to pay a larger guarantee than other clubs, makes the situation from a financial standpoint, rather discouraging to the local management, which has gone to much trouble and expense to build up a good team for Kingston and provide a first-class article of basketball.

The Kingston Club has had only one game here in which it cleared $8 per man. In two games it has made only $3 clear a man. The team is being run on the co-operative plan. All players share alike. In the matter of Wachter, of course, he is paid. He drew $25 for the game in Jersey City and $20 in Kingston. The franchise belongs to Morgenweck, who paid the $100 forfeit, furnished the bond for the armory, bought the uniforms and in fact furnished everything that cost money. Morgenweck wants to make good in Kingston this season just to show a certain element that the management is strictly on the level and he also feels that the team has more than a good chance to win the pennant. If he can bring the game on a basis that he can clear $8 per man per game he will be satisfied.

It is suggested that in this new league the Kingston business people should take a little interest. The team is playing in new sections this season where Kingston was not heard of before to any extent. If the team remains up around the top and plays the ball it is playing now it shows the people that Kingston is on the map. As a matter of fact, it is the best drawing team covering all games in the league. When everybody was pulling the first two seasons, the team had the best luck, and if the fans can be wakened up again it will be good for everybody. The biggest trouble the Kingston management has is that the teams do not like to come to Kingston on account of the long ride. If it could be arranged so that there could be dancing before the game and then start the game at 9:15 so that all teams could come up on the 6 p. m. train from New York, the management might be able to get the fans to back it up better.

ASHOKAN WINS EXCITING GAME

In the fastest and most exciting game ever played in the Holy Cross Parish Hall the Pioneer Five was defeated by the Ashokan A. A. team, the score being 18 to 17. Both teams fought to the end for the honors. In the first half Ashokan hung up fifteen points to three for the Pioneer Five but in the second period Atkins replaced Allen at guard and before ten minutes had elapsed the Pioneers had brought the score a few points of tieing and with two and a half minutes to go and the score 17 to 17, Craig was fouled, and made good with the winning point. The A. A. A. Five were only able to score 3 points in this half due to the clever guarding of Moxin and Atkins, and the fast playing of Soper, Lebert and Newman. S. Winne, the big Ashokan forward was kept under Moxin's eye throughout the game, and one of the largest crowds that ever attended a game in this hall was present, and the enthusiasm was immense. The score follows:

Ashokan.

	F.B.	F.P.	T.P.
E. Davis, rf.	2	1	5
Craig, rf.	0	1	1
S. Winne, lf.	3	0	6
Hyde, c.	2	0	4
A. Winne, rg.	0	0	0
Hunter, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	8	2	18

Pioneer Five.

Newman, rf.	1	1	3
Soper, lf.	2	1	5
Lebert, c.	2	1	5
Moxin, rg.	1	2	4
Allen, lg.	0	0	0
Atkins, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	6	5	17

Summary.

Score at half time—A. A. A., 15; Pioneer Five.—Referee—E. Butler.

Card of Thanks.

We take this opportunity to extend our most sincere thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who were so kind to us in our recent affliction and death of my loving husband, and father. We also appreciate the many beautiful floral tributes.

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MENKE'S DAILY SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

"They can't come back," the wise ones say,
Absence leaves its ill effects
"Twas so with Jeff and Johnson, too,
As with others of their sex."
But 'tis different with the girlies,
As the news dispatches cite
May Sutton left—and then 'come back'
And she won a brilliant fight."

The above is intended to tell you that May Sutton, the tennis wizard, who quit the game a few years ago when she married Thomas C. Bundy, has returned with her racquet and signalized the same by decisively beating Miss Molle Bjurstedt, the wonderful Norwegian net artist.

This is the way a boxing bout was described which took place in France in 1818 A. D.:

"Yesterday a great exhibition was made by English boxers. The two champions were built like Hercules and were naked to the waist. They entered the place with their hands guarded with huge padded gloves. After a severe contest, one of them, more adroit than his rival, struck him so violent a blow on the breast that he fell, and victory thus was decided."

The reprint appears in Tom Andrews book "Ring Battles of Centuries."

I look for Christy Mathewson to have a good year in 1916" says John McGraw. "I believe his arm will round into winning shape before next April."

Moleskins For Women.

'Tis rumored that the girl students in Denver University are going to "try" for the football team next year. Why? Well, after the Denver team defeated the Colorado outfit a few weeks ago Henry A. Buchtel Chancellor of the University, implanted fervent kisses upon the countenance of Captain Deeds and Howard Shot, well as a reward for their brilliant work.

Walter Pipp, the Yanks first baseman, whose hitting during the latter part of the regular season was a minus quantity hammered the ball to all portions of the ball parks on the barnstorming trip.

Even the desperately poor do not view the approach of blizzards and zero weather with more terror than do the golfing fiends.

Classified Advertising Section.

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For Sale—Crown bearing inscription "Miracle Man;" in good condition; reason for selling—it no longer becomes me. G. STALLINGS.

Information Wanted—Concerning baseball; lawsuit; last seen in company of Judge Landis; since then has disappeared. Generous reward for news concerning same; BASEBALL MAGNUTS.

In Cleveland there is the report that Joe Lannin owner of the Red Sox is so anxious to get Ray Chapman, the Indian shortshop, that he will give in exchange Third Baseman, Larry Gardner. Pitchers Joe Wood and Ray Collins and $10,000 in cash.

Wonder why they didn't add that Joe would throw in his ball park, his Garden City hotel and the Massachusetts State Capitol Building as well? Twould have sounded just as reasonable.

And, in the meantime, the price of coal advances. Christmas draws nigh, the rent bills must be paid—and the Feds still live.

At the Sanitarium.

William Lord of 528 Broadway was conveyed in the city ambulance to the Benedictine Sanitarium on Wednesday afternoon for treatment.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Electrical treatment given by appointment. MRS. H. B. MABEN, 75 Pearl street.

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WHAT COULD YOU BUY

That would be of better value or more serviceable than a nice pair of wool blankets? We were fortunate in securing another shipment of those superfine wool blankets direct from the factory, every one well worth a five dollar bill, selling this week for $4.50 pair; other good values, too, at $1.50, $1.97, $2.97, $3.97.

THE NEWLYWEDS AND

the has-been-weds, and all the folks at home, like a home that's homelike. Nothing like a new rug to brighten up the sitting room, dining room or any other room in the house. We like to show rugs, and if you like to look at pretty rugs, just say "Rugs" to anybody in our store and they will gladly escort you to the rug department, where you will find little rugs and big rugs at the right prices.

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It may be hanging on our rack this week, but somebody's going to get some bath robes this year for Christmas. We hope you'll get one of ours, because everybody says they are the finest ever. If you already have one, suppose you know somebody who hasn't. What's the price? Oh, yes, $3.50, $3.97, $4.50 and $4.97. Put one aside until Christmas week? Certainly. Thank you.

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"All right, you shall have one for Christmas. Just pick out the one you like best, etc." That's the talk we like to hear, and frequently do hear around Christmas time. Yes, they are pretty, let us show them.

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METHODISTS WIN BASKETBALL GAMES

Two games of indoor baseball were played on Wednesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. in the Church Indoor Baseball League. In the first game the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church representatives with Craig pitching had no difficulty in defeating the players of the Albany Avenue Baptist Church, the final score being 27 to 11. The Baptists were Hollenwick, Burroughs, Decker, Godfrey and Miller while the Methodists were Craig, Van Aken, Johnson, Mergendahl and Garrison.

The Trinity M. E. Church players in the second game defeated the players of the Rondout Presbyterian Church by a score of 10 to 8. This was one of the most closely contested games of the series. The Presbyterians were Kelly, Rowland, Johnson, Beeres, Miller and LeFevre, while the Methodists were Giles, C. H. Beckwith, Costello, Ostrander, Voight and Hillis.

Another match in the Y. M. C. A. Church Bowling League was also rolled that evening when the Wurts Street Baptist Church defeated the Rondout Presbyterian Church by a score of 2,046 to 2,003.

The summary:

Presbyterians.

Webster	160	188	181
Smith	110	107	102
Rodie	100	118	110
Shultis	156	149	153
Bridgeman	108	135	126

Totals, 2,003.

Baptists.

Winchell	136	165	140
Powell	87	116	133
Van Valkenburgh	136	153	120
Tongue	136	153	120
McEntee	132	146	177

Total, 2,046.

MODENA.

Modena, Dec. 9.—Mrs. E. E. Miller and son, Abram, were Poughkeepsie visitors on Saturday last.

Mrs. Harry Paltridge visited her sister, Mrs. Andrew Bernard on Saturday.

Miss Anna Kilcauley spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Edward Hartney.

Quite a few from this place attended the Local Union held at Clintondale on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Every were visitors in Poughkeepsie on Monday last.

We are glad to hear that William Cole has opened the meat market. We wish him success.

Miss Maud Cole of this place is spending some time with friends in Brooklyn.

The motion picture program in the M. E. Church next Tuesday evening will consist of a two reel drama An Oriental Romance, a Christmas story, Christmas at Lonesome Gulch, and a comedy, The Comedian's Downfall.

Communion service will be held in the M. E. Church Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. C. Coddington of Highland, will preach.

ATWOOD.

Atwood, Dec. 9.—The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. Clarence Davis on Wednesday, December 15.

Services on Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hull of Kingston visited relatives for a few days the past week.

Stephen Krom, Jr., has returned home after spending some time at Central Bridge.

The Rev. Mr. Coutant was a caller in this place on Tuesday.

The teams of William Winchell, David Morey, and Arthur Hasbrouck have employment on the aqueduct.

UNION CENTER.

Union Center, Dec. 9.—The Misses Bernetta and Idella Eckert of Kingston visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Eckert the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunje and Miss Bessie Freer enjoyed an auto ride to Kingston Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schoonmaker.

Mrs. E. Ellsworth of Ulster Park visited her brother, C. Terpening Sunday.

Miss Florence Terpening spent Sunday with Mrs. Philip Schoonmaker.

Mrs. Merritt Soper and daughter Etta were in Kingston Monday.

The Misses Florence and Zellma Terpening and Bessie Freer enjoyed and automobile ride to the Ashokan reservoir with Mr. and Mrs. P. Schoonmaker Sunday.

Miss Helena Wells, who has been quite ill with a cold for several days, was able to attend school again Monday.

Harry Van Kleeck of Poughkeepsie and Mr. and Mrs. J. Barley of Ulster Park visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Porter Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Van Wagenen, the Misses Martha and Anna Brown and Morris Herring and son John were in Kingston Tuesday.

Widow to Accept Settlement.

Mrs. C. W. Post, widow of a wealthy cereal manufacturer, says that for $6,000,000 she will withdraw not only from the Postum Cereal Company, but also from the Postex Company, a cotton manufacturing plant of Post City, Texas. This amount will probably be her share in the Post estate, estimated at $33,000,000, the bulk of which will go to C. W. Post's only daughter, Mrs. Edward B. Close, of New York.

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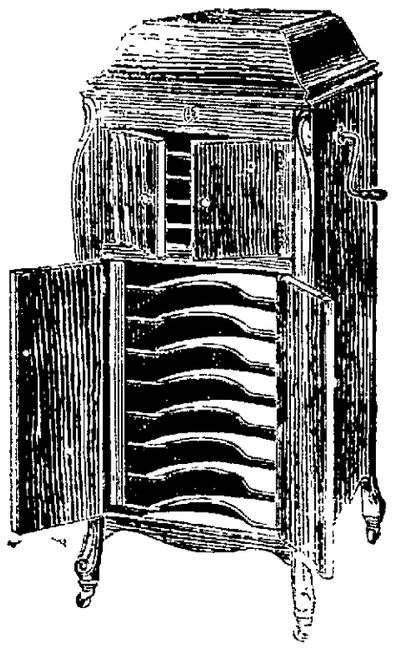

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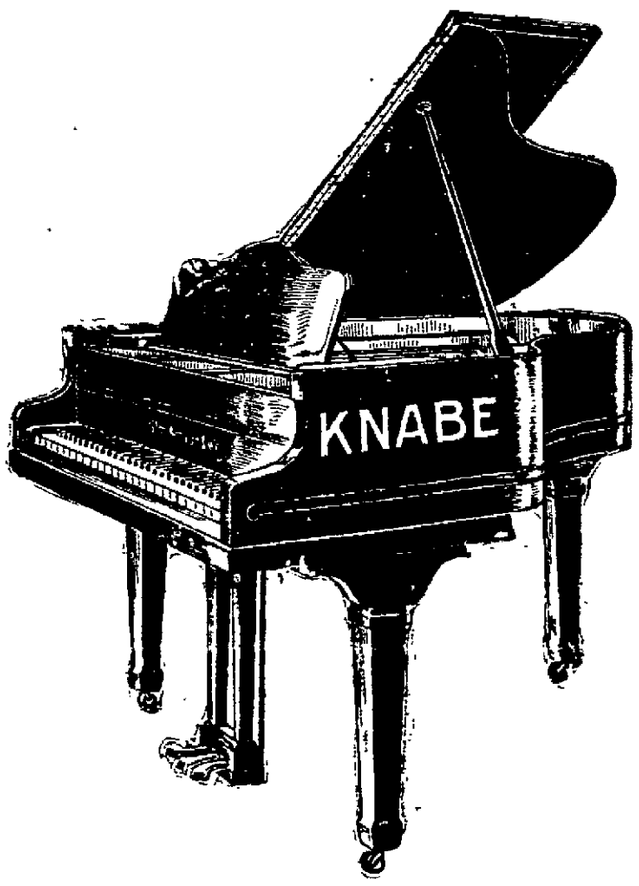

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